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PIONEER WHO CAME HERE IN 1876 IS DEAD

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FINE MILITARY RECORD

Long Service in Army Shown in Record; Was Wounded During Civil War

Patrick McHugh, one of Bismarck's very earliest residents, a veteran of the Civil War and a pioneer of the old West, died shortly after three o'clock this morning at his home, 412 Seventh street, of pneumonia and complications.

Mr. McHugh, who was 84 years old, had been ill at various times for the past year. About ten days ago he fell and injured his shoulder and pneumonia developed. He had been active and able to be about house, most of the time until recently, despite his advanced age.

An adventurous life followed Mr. McHugh's arrival in the United States from Ireland, March 17, 1840, one of three sons of Patrick and Rose McHugh, and emigrated at the age of 18 years. A few years after his arrival in this country the Civil War broke out, and Mr. McHugh enlisted with the Union Army. After the war he remained in the Army, and was in Indian campaigns. He was discharged at Fort Snelling, Minnesota, in 1871, married to Ellen Ward in St. Paul, and they came to Bismarck in 1876, when Bismarck was virtually a frontier outpost.

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At this time Gen. Elliot was organizing the Mississippi Marine Brigade, made up of convalescents. Mr. McHugh obtained his discharge from the 11th Missouri to enable him to enlist in this brigade, which was composed of ten companies of infantry, a battalion of cavalry, and one company of artillery.

He enlisted in Co. F, of Battalion Cavalry, under Capt. Brown, and served in this Battalion until February 1865. He was discharged at Vicksburg, Miss., went to Hancock City and re-enlisted in Hancock's Veteran Corps, where he served until July 12, 1865, when he was discharged. He remained in New York City until '66 when he enlisted in Co. I, 18th U. S. Infantry, under Capt. R. P. Hughes. He was sent to Fort Laramie, Colorado, where the detachment was detailed for escort duty to guard a mule and oxen train carrying supplies to Fort Pike Kearney. They got as far as Fort Reno on the Powder River when news was received that the Sioux were attacking the Indians under the Sioux Chief Red Cloud. They pushed on to Ft. Kearney, arriving three days after the massacre. After burying the dead, the detail returned to Fort Laramie.

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The McHugh's always were ready to answer the call to arms of their country. Mr. McHugh answered the first call in the Civil War. Will the first call for the Spanish-American War and the first call for the World War.

Surviving are the widow, three sons, John McHugh, Los Vegas, New Mexico; Will McHugh, Los Angeles; and four daughters, Mrs. J. J. LaRose, Bismarck; Mrs. T. B. Cuyou, Bismarck; Mrs. John H. Hinton, Mandan; and Mrs. J. D. McCusker of Bradock.

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FIVE WOMEN SIT ON JURY

Dickinson, N. D., Dec. 13.—Only civil cases of minor importance have occupied the attention of Stark county district court in sessions this week. Many actions have been settled out of court, continued over the term or heard before Judge F. B. Lendke. During the week a jury was called in but two cases besides actions in which verdicts were directed by the judge. All the women drawn on the jury panel have had an opportunity to serve, court attaches said. The women jurors are Mrs. W. R. Everett, Mrs. T. D. Chang, Mrs. H. W. Reed, Mrs. George Sauer, and Miss Emma Kostecky.

NEW EFFORT TO BOOST LIGNITE RATES IS SEEN

Railroads Indicate That Request Will Be Made For a New Scale Soon

Probability of a new effort to increase lignite rates from North Dakota mines appeared today in representations which have been made to the North Dakota state railroad commission by representatives of the Great Northern, Northern Pacific and Soo railroads.

The railroad representatives have indicated that they desire to put into effect in North Dakota, south of the Holmer and Halliwell state of rate charged for shipment of coal from the Lake Superior docks or the scale of rates proposed by the examiner for the Interstate Commerce Commission in the lignite rate hearing, according to information from members of the railroad commission.

At the time the Interstate Commerce Commission, several months ago, declined to place in effect the Holmer and Halliwell scale, and the North Dakota commission likewise refused the railroads' plea for increased rates, the commission suggested that interested parties confer on a new rate basis, and submitted the scale proposed by the examiner. No such conference has taken place between railroad and coal interests, it is understood.

The scale of rates which the railroads sought to impose on lignite coal was said by the railroad commissioners to be on an average of about 50 percent above present rates, while the scale proposed by the examiner was about 95 percent of the Holmer and Halliwell scale.

GOMPERS, DEAN OF AMERICAN LABOR, HAD NOTABLE RISE FROM POOR BOY TO FIGURE IN AFFAIRS OF WORLD

PAY TRIBUTE TO MEMORY OF THEO. KOFFEL

Members of Burleigh County Bar Association Laud Him Here

Tribute to the memory of the late Theodore Koffel, member of the Burleigh county bar, was paid in memorial exercises held in the court of Judge James A. Coffey this morning.

Resolutions adopted by the association of the county were presented by F. A. Heffington, for the committee composed of himself and Alfred Zuger. In presenting them Mr. Heffington said that the resolutions represented the sincere tribute of the lawyers. He asked that the resolutions be placed on file and a certificate given the family.

Alfred Zuger, speaking on the work of Mr. Koffel, said it was a marked trait that although he could find in law suits, he felt no bitterness, and in the hearts of those he fought.

Mr. Zuger told of kindly qualities of Mr. Koffel, and how he had been a natural lawyer, saying he had appeared in court in this respect probably more than any other attorney.

Mr. Allen declared fidelity owed out to Mr. Koffel's character, fidelity to honor the court of which he was a member, to friends, to clients.

Scott Cameron told those present that Mr. Koffel had been a natural lawyer, and that this life with the friendship of every member of the bar.

Mr. E. M. May spoke of the honorable attitude of Mr. Koffel in dealing with other attorneys, and declared he always was fair.

Judge Coffey, in closing, said that it was quite fitting to cease court work to pay tribute to one of the fine qualities of Mr. Koffel. Attorneys, jurors and friends were present.

Exercises Influence Beyond Actual Labor Organization —Fought Bolshevism and Supported the United States in War with Ger-

Samuel Gompers, "dean of American labor leaders" one of the founders of the American Federation of Labor, which he saw grow from a collection of small locals to a national organization with a membership of more than 2,000,000, spent several of the later years of his life in fighting autocracy abroad and radicalism in organized labor at home.

In a career filled with persistent and vigorous efforts from his 15th year to improve the conditions of workers, Mr. Gompers became a unique figure in American public life. By the force of his eloquence and persistence he won over the solid support of the American Federation of Labor for the United States government when it entered the war.

The conflict ended, he went to Paris where he helped to organize the International Labor Congress, five of its tenets were incorporated in the Peace Treaty. They were: Labor is not a commodity; 2—An international standard living wage; 3—Equal pay for men and women for equal work; and 4—Prohibition of child labor.

At the annual session of the American Federation of Labor at El Paso, Texas, in November, 1921, Mr. Gompers was elected president for the third time. That session was followed by a joint meeting of the American Federation of Labor and the Executive Council of the Pan-American Federation of Labor and the Immigration of Presidents Calles of Mexico, which officials of all three organizations attended at Mexico City.

While at the Mexican capital Mr. Gompers was struck with a carcinoma of the nodule which had kept him more or less an invalid for several years, complicated by a slight cold and the high altitude the aged leader was unable to attend the closing sessions.

VODKA DRIVE IS LAUNCHED

338,000 Arrests Made By Soviet Authorities

Moscow, Dec. 13.—(By the A. P.) An anti-alcoholic campaign will be inaugurated by the Soviet authorities next week. The move is intended to curb the enormous sale of contraband vodka throughout Russia. With the approaching Christmas holidays, Russian bootleggers have been growing rich over night.

During the past 10 months authorities discovered 100,000 "home brew" plants and confiscated 2,000,000 gallons of illegally made vodka. They tried 338,000 persons for violation of the liquor.

Weather Report

For 24 hours ending at noon.
Temperature at 7 a. m. 36
Highest yesterday 40
Lowest yesterday 27
Lowest last night 25
Precipitation .0
Highest wind velocity 12

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For Bismarck and vicinity: Partly overcast and somewhat unsettled tonight and Sunday. Colder tonight. For North Dakota: Partly overcast and somewhat unsettled tonight and Sunday. Colder tonight.

WEATHER CONDITIONS

The western disturbance has moved eastward and is now over the Ohio Valley. Precipitation occurred at most places throughout the northern states from the Rocky Mountain region eastward to the Atlantic coast while generally fair weather prevails over the South. A high pressure area is centered over Saskatchewan and somewhat colder weather prevails over the Northwest, but only a few Canadian stations reported sub-zero temperatures.

FIRST CHECKS TO DEPOSITORS ARE SENT OUT

Depositors of Tolley State Bank Get 10 Per Cent Dividend from Commission

TO BE CONTINUED

Depositors of Banks to be Paid in Order of the Closing of Banks

First checks in payment of a ten percent dividend to depositors of banks closed in the state before July 1, 1921, were mailed from offices of the Depositors Guaranty Fund Commission. It was announced by members of the commission. Other checks will be mailed as rapidly as the commission's office force is able to proceed.

The first check, for \$94.60, was made payable to Esther M. Gordon of Minnesota, a depositor in the Tolley State Bank. She received for the balance of her deposit in that bank a certificate of indebtedness for \$940.61, which is expected to be paid at some future time.

The commission has been delayed longer than expected in actual payment of checks, because of the immense amount of particularly required in the work of organizing the office force and examining claims, according to C. B. McMillan of Hannah, a member of the commission. In order to secure accurate and proper distribution of the fund and lessen the expense of administration, an office system designed to serve for a long period has been established, and the work of payment will extend over a considerable period, Mr. McMillan said.

Many depositors of the Tolley State Bank will receive a dividend in the first batch of checks dispatched. Out of 140 claims for deposits lost in the bank, however, only 40 filed receivers' certificates, and only those who filed receivers' certificates and obtain approval of claims, can be paid.

Checks will be mailed to depositors in the order of closing of banks, it was said, and the second batch of checks will go to depositors of the Security State Bank of New England.

It was emphasized again that no depositors of banks closing after July 1, 1921, are to receive a dividend at this time, and it is not expected that they file papers at this time.

The appropriate members of the Depositors Guaranty Fund Commission, who are in session here to supervise the detailed work, are S. G. Severson, Bismarck; W. N. Harris, Tartar Lake, and Mr. McMillan of Hannah.

Banks To Reopen

It was announced by the commission that bank conditions in the state are improving steadily, and reopening of three more closed banks is expected within a few days.

LABOR HEAD DIES



SAMUEL GOMPERS

SUCCESSOR TO GOMPERS LIES AMONG THREE

Leader to be Named to Serve Until the Next Annual Convention

New York, Dec. 13.—(By the A. P.) The man to succeed Samuel Gompers as president of the American Federation of Labor is expected in labor circles here to be chosen from three men, all present members of the executive council. They are William Green, secretary-treasurer, United Mine Workers of America; Matthew Woll, for 15 years president of the International Photo-Engravers Union; and Thomas Rickett, president of the United Garment Workers. James Duncan, first vice-president of the American Federation of Labor, former head of the Granite Workers Union, may receive some consideration. These names have been given out by discussion throughout national councils of the organization for months, as Mr. Gompers' failing health became apparent.

Under the Constitution, Secretary Frank Morrison will notify the executive council to meet within six days. The council will elect a provisional president to hold office until the next annual convention when a new president will be named.

In the general opinion here, labor leaders were loath to discuss the likely candidates. Their only expressions were one of devoted tribute to Gompers.

HIS WISH TO DIE ON HOME SOIL GRANTED

Rushes From Mexico to Permit Him to Die in the United States

BODY TO GO EAST

Labor Leaders Hold Hand of Aged Labor Leader As He Passes Away

New York, Dec. 13.—Samuel Gompers, late president of the American Federation of Labor, will be buried in Sleepy Hollow cemetery, near Tarrytown, N. Y., it was said here today by Harry Monness, a personal friend of Mr. Gompers.

Instructions were sent to San Antonio to have the body transported to this city, where it is expected to arrive Monday night or Tuesday morning. The vault in Sleepy Hollow cemetery in which the body will be interred is opposite the Andrew Carnegie plot.

San Antonio, Tex., Dec. 13.—(By the A. P.)—Samuel Gompers, 74, grand old leader of the American Federation of Labor, is dead. His last wish—death on American soil—was granted when he passed away here at 10 o'clock this morning.

The primary cause was acute heart failure, with pulmonary edema, complicated by advanced nephritis and arterial hypertension.

Mr. Gompers had been improving early in the night and had taken two or three naps, but a change occurred at 2:30 a. m. and his heart began to fail, refusing to respond to drugs.

Surrounding Mr. Gompers in his last moments were the men with whom he had fought many labor battles, through a generation of American union labor development. At his bedside, holding his hand, was James Duncan, Quincy, Mass., vice-president of the Federation, who had stood shoulder to shoulder with him in the fight for his rights. Their parting was pathetic.

Also holding his hand was William D. Mahon, Detroit, president of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees, who with Frank Morrison, secretary of the Federation, were close at the death bed.

There also was his nurse, Mrs. Marie Johnston, who had been with him since his illness last August. She knelt at the foot of his bed as the shadow of death crept over the leader.

When the doctor announced the end, labor leaders gathered about the bed and each said an affectionate word on the brow of the leader and each in turn said "Good bye, Sam."

Each desired to touch the leader while he was still, in a manner, they felt.

A Fighting Man

Death found Sam Gompers as a life found him a fighting man. When told by his physicians that he was leaving his body, he clenched his tightly clenched fists, and would permit. He breathed heavily, but he never said "I give up."

His last thought was of American institutions. When convinced he could not win the battle he said "Nurse, this is the end. God bless our American institutions. May they grow better day by day."

These words took his last strength and after that he was unable to speak. By the moment he slipped into unconsciousness, an hour before his death, he was able to look into the future and was master of his own situation. He gave a few simple directions for his funeral, should the untimely death occur. He talked to his followers and called for life-long friends, whose hands he wanted to clasp before slipping off into the unknown.

When Mr. Gompers became ill in Mexico City, Dr. Cockrell, his physician and friend for 25 years, who accompanied him, said that had he remained in the high altitude of Mexico City six hours longer he could not have reached the United States alive.

In his dying moments, Mr. Gompers had an opportunity to witness the affection in which he was held by his own people and the public. As his cot was being lowered from the (Continued on page 6)

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Lawrence, Ariz., Dec. 12.—R. B. Sims, warden of the state penitentiary, was under arrest today after complaints had been filed charging him with aiding, abetting and causing the mutilation of the bodies of two men who were executed at the penitentiary and later buried in the prison cemetery. The charges were sworn to by Mrs. C. E. Howard, whose husband is now serving sentence in the prison. Mrs. Howard was arrested several months ago for carrying concealed weapons into the state prison but was released after a legal battle.

"It is merely spite work," Sims said when questioned concerning the charges.

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Pl. Yates, N. D., Dec. 12.—Eleven bids on eleven separate tracts were opened here at the agency land sale for December. Bids ranged in amount from \$661 to \$2200 for quarter sections. Two of the eleven tracts were in Sioux county.

KICK RESULTS FATALITY

Dickinson, N. D., Dec. 13.—Louis Schmidt, the three-year-old grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Fowler of South Dickinson, who was severely injured when kicked by a horse at the farm home near Snow, the first of December, died here at the home of his grandparents on Monday. Funeral services were held at St. Joseph's Catholic church on Wednesday morning and interment made in St. Joseph's cemetery.

Canada has about 500,000,000 acres of forest land.

BOMB WRECKS HOUSE PORCH

Follows Demand for \$5,000 on Chicago Man

Chicago, Dec. 13.—A bomb explosion early today demolished the front porch of the home of Frank Larrom, who had received several threatening letters demanding \$5,000. Orlando Morganti, who lived on the first floor, had received a warning that he should move, and that the building would be destroyed. According to police, the bomb had been wrapped in a copy of the Los Angeles Times, dated October 26, 1921. None of the occupants of the house was injured.

10 SHOPPING DAYS BEFORE CHRISTMAS



GRAIN HITS NEW LEVELS

Minneapolis, Dec. 13.—An upward rush of grain prices here today on the heels of advances made almost every day for a week buried cash wheat five cents from the \$1.00 mark when a sale was recorded at \$1.95 near the close of trading. Futures on wheat, rye, oats and flax also went up.

A national cancer institute has been established by the government of Peru at Lima.

WHERE YOU EVER HUNGRY AT CHRISTMAS TIME?

There are a lot of kiddies in Bismarck who have been hungry at Christmas time—and other folks basking in prosperity and Christmas cheer haven't known anything about it.

Even the trained social workers know that they do not ferret out every needy case; because there are some too proud to let anyone know they need help.

The Good Fellows of Bismarck—a branch of the Community Christmas undertaking—are going to see that every person in Bismarck gets some Christmas cheer this year.

They want persons who know of needy cases to telephone 840 and give the names. The names will be kept confidential—and only the Good Fellow who is given a name and address need know of the mission of Christmas cheer.

There is a list of names for Good Fellows already, and volunteers may communicate with the Good Fellows organization if they want to personally give a Christmas basket.

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for December. Bids ranged in amount
from \$261 to \$2200 for quarter sec-
tions. Two of the eleven tracts were
in Sioux county.

KICK RESULTS FATALITY

Dickinson, N. D., Dec. 13.—Louie
Schmidt, the three-year-old grandson
of Mr. and Mrs. Fowler of South
Dickinson, who was severely injured
when kicked by a horse at the farm
home near Snow, the first of Decem-
ber, died here at the home of his
grandparents on Monday. Funeral
services were held at St. Joseph's
Catholic church on Wednesday morn-
ing and interment made in St.
Joseph's cemetery.

Canada has about 500,000,000 acres
of forest land.

FIVE WOMEN
SIT ON JURY

Dickinson, N. D., Dec. 13.—Only
civil cases of minor importance have
occupied the attention of Stark coun-
ty district court in sessions this
week. Many actions have been set-
tled out of court, continued over the
term or heard before Judge F. B.
Lemboke. During the week a jury has
been called in but two cases besides
actions in which verdicts were direct-
ed by the judge. All the women
drawn on the jury panel have had an
opportunity to serve, court attach-
es said. The women jurors are Mrs. W.
R. Everett, Mrs. T. D. Casey, Mrs. H.
W. Reed, Mrs. George Schuler and
Miss Emma Kostecky.

NEW EFFORT TO
BOOST LIGNITE
RATES IS SEEN

Railroads Indicate That Re-
quest Will Be Made For a
New Scale Soon

Probability of a new effort to in-
crease lignite coal rates from North
Dakota mines appeared today in re-
presentations which have been made
to the North Dakota state railroad
commission by representatives of the
Great Northern, Northern Pacific
and Soo railroads.

The railroad representatives have
indicated that they desire to put into
effect in North Dakota either the
Holmes and Hallows scale of rates
used in charges for shipment of coal
from the Lake Superior docks, or the
scale of rates proposed by the exam-
iner for the Interstate Commerce
Commission in the lignite rate hear-
ing, according to information from
members of the railroad commission.
At the time the Interstate Com-
merce Commission, several months
ago, decided to place in effect the
Holmes and Hallows scale, and the
North Dakota commission likewise
refused the railroads' plea for in-
creased rates, the commission sug-
gested that interested parties confer
on a new rate basis, and submitted
the scale proposed by the examiner.
No such conference has taken place
between railroad and coal interests,
it is understood.

The scale of rates which the rail-
roads sought to impose on lignite
coal was similar to the railroad com-
missioners to be on an average of
about 50 percent above present rates,
while the scale proposed by the ex-
aminer was about 95 percent of the
Holmes and Hallows scale.

BOMB WRECKS
HOUSE PORCH

Follows Demand for \$5,000
on Chicago Man

Chicago, Dec. 13.—A bomb explo-
sion early today demolished the
front porch of the home of Frank
Larocco, who had received several
threatening letters demanding \$5,000.
Orlando Morganti, who lived on the
first floor, had received a warning
that he should move, and that the
building would be destroyed. Ac-
cording to police, the bomb had been
wrapped in a copy of the Los Ange-
les Times dated October 26, 1924.
None of the occupants of the house
was injured.

10 SHOPPING
DAYS
BEFORE
CHRISTMAS



GOMPERS, DEAN OF AMERICAN LABOR,
HAD NOTABLE RISE FROM POOR BOY
TO FIGURE IN AFFAIRS OF WORLD

PAY TRIBUTE
TO MEMORY OF
THEO. KOFFEL

Members of Burleigh County
Bar Association Laud
Him Here

Tribute to the memory of the late
Theodore Koffel, member of the Bur-
leigh county bar, was paid in mon-
etary exercises held in the court of
Judge James A. Coffey this morning.
Resolutions adopted by the bar as-
sociation of the county were pre-
sented by E. O. Hellstrom, for the com-
mittee composed of himself and Al-
fred Zuger. In presenting them Mr.
Hellstrom said that the resolutions
represented the sincere tribute of the
lawyers. He asked that the resolu-
tions be placed on file and a certifi-
cate given the family.

Alfred Zuger, speaking on the work
of Mr. Koffel, said it was a marked
trait that although he fought hard
in law suits, he left no bitterness or
rancor in the hearts of those he
fought.

E. B. Cox told of kindly qualities
of Mr. Koffel's nature and lauded
him as a trial lawyer, saying he had
seen few lawyers could do as well as
he. Mr. Koffel was a man of great
modesty and was more than any other
attorney. E. S. Allen declared fidelity
stole to Mr. Koffel's character—fidel-
ity to home, the court of which he
was a member, to friends, to clients.
Scott Cameron told those present
that few lawyers could do as well as
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was a member, to friends, to clients.

At the annual session of the Amer-
ican Federation of Labor at El Paso,
Texas, in November, 1924, Mr.
Gompers was elected president for the
third time. That session was fol-
lowed by a joint meeting of the
American Federation of Labor and the
Sessions of the Pan-American Fed-
eration of Labor and the inaugura-
tion of the American Federation of
Labor, which officials of all three or-
ganizations attended at Mexico City.

VODKA DRIVE
IS LAUNCHED

338,000 Arrests Made By
Soviet Authorities

Moscow, Dec. 13.—(By the A. P.)
An anti-alcoholic fortnight will be in-
augurated by the Soviet authorities
next week. The move is intended to
curb the enormous sale of contraband
Vodka throughout Russia. With
the approaching Christmas holidays,
Russian bootleggers have been grow-
ing rich over night.

During the past 10 months authori-
ties discovered 100,000 "home brew"
plants and confiscated 2,000,000 gal-
lons of illegally made Vodka. They
tried 338,000 persons for violation of
the liquor.

Weather Report

For 24 hours ending at noon.
Temperature at 7 a. m. 26
Highest yesterday 56
Lowest yesterday 37
Lowest last night 25
Precipitation 0
Highest wind velocity 32

WEATHER FORECAST
For Bismarck and vicinity: Partly
overcast and somewhat unsettled to-
night and Sunday. Colder tonight.
For North Dakota: Partly overcast
and somewhat unsettled tonight and
Sunday. Colder tonight.

WEATHER CONDITIONS
The western disturbance has moved
eastward and is now over the
Ohio Valley. Precipitation oc-
curred at most places throughout the
northern states from the Rocky
Mountain region eastward to the At-
lantic coast while generally fair
weather prevails over the South. A
high pressure area is centered over
Saskatchewan and somewhat colder
weather prevails over the Northwest
but only a few Canadian stations
reported sub-zero temperatures.

FIRST CHECKS
TO DEPOSITORS
ARE SENT OUT

Depositors of Tolley State
Bank Get 10 Per Cent Di-
vidend from Commission

TO BE CONTINUED

Depositors of Banks to be
Paid in Order of the
Closing of Banks

First checks in payment of a ten
percent dividend to depositors of
banks closed in the state before July
1, 1923, were mailed from offices
of the Depositors Guaranty Fund
Commission, it was announced by
members of the commission. Other
checks will be mailed as rapidly as
the commission's office force is able
to proceed.

The first check, for \$94.00, was
made payable to Esther M. Gordon
of Minnesota, a depositor in the Tol-
ley State Bank. She received for the
balance of her deposit in that bank
a certificate of indebtedness for
\$940.00, which is expected to be
paid at some future time.

The commission has been delayed
longer than expected in actual pay-
ment of checks, because of the im-
mense amount of particularly re-
quired in the work of organizing the
office force and examining claims,
according to C. H. McMillan of
Hannah, a member of the commis-
sion. In order to secure accurate
and proper distribution of the fund
and lessen the expense of adminis-
tration, an office system designed
to serve for a long period has been
established, and the work of payment
will extend over a considerable pe-
riod, Mr. McMillan said.

Many depositors of the Tolley State
Bank will receive a dividend in the
first batch of checks dispatched.
Out of 140 claims for deposits lost
in the bank, however, but 43 filed
receivers' certificates, and only those
who filed receivers' certificates and
obtain approval of claims, can be
paid.

Checks will be mailed to deposi-
tors in the order of closing of
banks, it was said, and the second
batch of checks will go to depositors
of the Security State Bank of New
England.

It was emphasized again that no
depositors of banks closing after
July 1, 1923, are to receive a di-
vidend at this time, and it is not de-
clared that they file papers at this
time.

The appointive members of the
Depositors Guaranty Fund Commis-
sion, who are in session here to
supervise the detailed work, are S.
G. Severston, Bismarck; W. N. Har-
ris, Turtle Lake, and Mr. McMillan
of Hannah.

GRAIN HITS
NEW LEVELS

Minneapolis, Dec. 13.—An up-
ward rush of grain prices here
today on the heels of advances
made almost every day for a
week hurried cash wheat to five
cents from the \$1.00 mark when
a sale was recorded at \$1.95 near
the close of trading. Futures
on wheat, rye, oats and flax
also went up.

A national cancer institute has
been established by the government
of Peru at Lima.

WHERE YOU EVER HUNGRY AT
CHRISTMAS TIME?

There are a lot of kiddies in Bismarck who have
been hungry at Christmas time—and other folks
basking in prosperity and Christmas cheer haven't
known anything about it.

Even the trained social workers know that they
do not ferret out every needy case; because there
are some too proud to let anyone know they need
help.

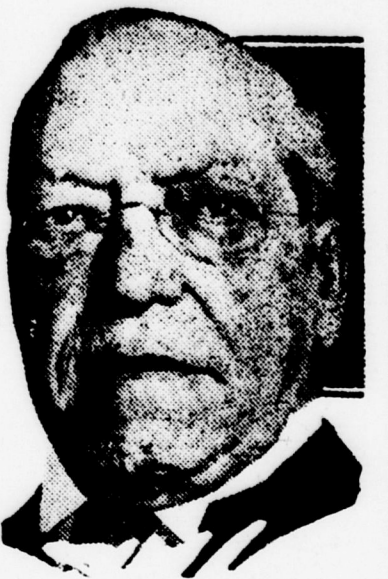
The Good Fellows of Bismarck—a branch of the
Community Christmas undertaking—are going to
see that every person in Bismarck gets some
Christmas cheer this year.

They want persons who know of needy cases to
telephone 840 and give the names. The names will
be kept confidential—and only the Good Fellow
who is given a name and address need know of the
mission of Christmas cheer.

There is a list of names for Good Fellows al-
ready, and volunteers may communicate with the
Good Fellows organization if they want to person-
ally give a Christmas basket.

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LABOR HEAD DIES



SUCCESSOR TO
GOMPERS LIES
AMONG THREE

Leader to be Named to Serve
Until the Next Annual
Convention

New York, Dec. 13.—(By the A. P.)
The man to succeed Samuel Gompers
as president of the American
Federation of Labor is expected in
labor circles here to be chosen from
three men, all present members of
the executive council. They are Wil-
liam Green, secretary-treasurer,
United Mine Workers of America;
Matthew Woll, for 15 years president
of the International Photo-Engravers
Union; and Thomas Rickett, president
of the United Garment Workers.

James Duncan, first Vice-President
of the American Federation of Labor,
former head of the Granite Workers
Union, may receive some considera-
tion. These names have been quiet-
ly discussed throughout national
councils of the organization for
months as Mr. Gompers' failing
health became apparent.

Under the Constitution, Secretary
Frank Morrison will notify the ex-
ecutive council to meet within six
days. The council will elect a
provisional president to hold office
until the next annual convention
when a new president will be named.

In the general gloom here labor
leaders were loath to discuss the
likely candidates. Their only ex-
pressions were one of devoted tri-
bute to Gompers.

PAY GOMPERS
HIGH TRIBUTE

Labor Council in New York
Issues Statement

New York, Dec. 13. The Central
Trades and Labor Council, represent-
ing thousands of union men in New
York City, issued the following:
Throughout his whole career Mr.
Gompers were not for his personal
comfort and health but for the great
humanitarian labor movement of
which he was the dynamic force and
great leader. His passing is an ir-
reparable loss to the movement, not
only for our country but to the inter-
national movement of which he was
an outstanding conservative figure."

Hugh Frawley, organizer of the
American Federation of Labor, said:
"Mr. Gompers was the outstanding
figure in the labor movement, not
only of America but of the world."
"He gave his life in defense of
justice, right and human progress."

Between 500 and 1000 letters are
believed to be at large in the United
States.

HIS WISH TO
DIE ON HOME
SOIL GRANTED

Rushes From Mexico to Per-
mit Him to Die in the
United States

BODY TO GO EAST

Labor Leaders Hold Hand of
Aged Labor Leader As
He Passes Away

New York, Dec. 13.—Samuel
Gompers, late President of the
American Federation of Labor,
will be buried in Sleepy Hollow
cemetery, near Tarrytown, N. Y.,
it was said here today by Harry
Morrison, a personal friend of
Mr. Gompers.

Instructions were sent to San
Antonio to have the body trans-
ported to this city, where it is
expected to arrive Monday night
or Tuesday morning. The vault in
Sleepy Hollow cemetery in
which the body will be interred
is opposite the Andrew Carnegie
plot.

San Antonio, Tex., Dec. 13.—(By
the A. P.)—Samuel Gompers, 74,
grand old leader of the American
Federation of Labor, is dead. His
last wish—death on American soil—
was granted when he passed away
here at 4:10 this morning.

The primary cause was acute
heart failure, with pulmonary ce-
dema, complicated by advanced ne-
phritis and arterial hyper-tension.

Mr. Gompers had been improving
early in the night and had taken two
or three more but a change occurred
at 2:30 a. m. and his heart began to
fail, refusing to respond to drugs.

Surrounding Mr. Gompers in his
last moments were the men with
whom he had fought many labor's
battles through a generation of
American union labor's develop-
ment. At his bedside, holding his hand, was
James Duncan, Quincy, Mass., vice-
president of the Federation, who had
stood shoulder to shoulder with his
leader for 27 years. Their parting
was pathetic.

Also with him was William
D. Mahon, Detroit, president of the
Amalgamated Association of Street
and Electric Railway Employees, who
Gompers affectionately called "Bill"
and whom he had told several days
that he wished to shake his hand just
before he went.

Others With Him
John E. Gilley, cashier of the fed-
eration, Martin Ryan of Kansas City
and Matthew Woll of Chicago were
with him also. All members of the
executive committee were there.
Frank Morrison, Secretary of the
Federation, was close at the death
bed.

There also was his nurse, Mrs.
Marie Jamston, who had been with
him since his illness last August. She
knelt at the foot of his bed as the
anxiety of death crept over the lead-
er.

When the doctor announced the end
had come, labor officials gathered
about the bed and each laid an af-
fectionate hand on the brow of their
leader and each in turn said "Good
bye, Sam."

Each desired to touch the leader
while he was still, in a manner,
theirs.

A Fighting Man
Death found Sam Gompers as life
found him a fighting man. When
telling his physicians that he was
tossing his low clinches as tightly
as his feeble efforts would permit,
he breathed heavier, but he never
said "I give up."

His last thought was of American
institutions. When convinced he
could not win the battle he said:
"Nurse, this is my master of his own
country. American institutions. May they
grow better day by day."

These words took his last strength
and after that he was unable to
speak. Up to the moment he slipped
into unconsciousness, an hour before
his death, he was able to look into
the future and was master of his own
situation. He gave a few simple di-
rections for his funeral, should the
end come before morning. He talked
to his followers and called for life-
long friends, whose hands he wanted
to clasp before slipping off into the
unknown.

When Mr. Gompers became ill in
Mexico City a few days ago, he ex-
pressed the wish that if he was to die
he wanted to pass away on American
soil. Physicians would not let him
arise from his sick bed to go to the
train but had him placed on a stretch-
er and taken to the coach. This
is said to have given rise to the re-
port that he was dead, which was
sent out from a town in Mexico along
the line.

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TO INTERVENE OVER OPIUM

American Viewpoint Will Be Supported

Rome, Dec. 12. At the 15th session of the committee of the League of Nations, it was decided today that the national conference on opium, which is being held at Geneva, will be held in the American viewpoint. The American viewpoint is being supported by the American viewpoint. The American viewpoint is being supported by the American viewpoint.

HATRED FOR FORBES TOLD

Mortimer Recants Some of His Testimony

Chicago, Dec. 12. An outburst of cross-examination by the defense today, during the trial of Mortimer, recanted some of his testimony. Mortimer, former director of the Veterans Bureau, was being cross-examined by the defense.

MOTHER!

Watch Child's Bowels

"California Fig Syrup" is
Children's Harmless
Laxative



When your child is constipated, bilious, has colic, feverish-breath, coated-tongue, or diarrhea, a teaspoonful of genuine "California Fig Syrup" sweetens the stomach, promptly cleans the bowels and wastes. Never cramps or overacts. Contains no narcotics or cooling drugs. Children love its delicious taste.

Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has full directions for babies and children of all ages, plainly printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup—Adv.

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SALES AND SERVICE
DAKOTA AUTO
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107 5th St. Phone 428**

**ZAP
INDIAN HEAD
LIGNITE
\$4.35 in Loads**
Burns steadily and keeps
the heat regular for
long periods.
**BISMARCK LUMBER CO.
Phone 17**

GIRL LOCKED IN HER ROOM

Three Day Old Baby Found on Bed

Dec. 12. Mrs. Hazel ... was found locked in her room. A three-day-old baby was found on the bed.

SAYS FILBUSTER HALTS BILL

Washington, Dec. 12. Sen. ... said today that the bill would halt the bill.

NORTHWEST SHOW OPENS

St. Paul, Dec. 12. With 200,000 ... the Northwest show opened today.

RADIO PLAN IS ABANDONED

Washington, Dec. 12. Reorganization of wave lengths to radio broadcast ... the plan was abandoned.

EMRICH IS ARRAIGNED

Minneapolis, Dec. 12. Henry P. ... was arraigned today.

YOU CAN QUICKLY LIMBER UP SORE, STIFF, SWOLLEN JOINTS

Even Chronic Rheumatic Swelling in Knee, Elbow, Shoulder or Finger Joints Yield to the Mighty Powerful Influence of JOINT-EASE.

FERTILIZER

Lawn fertilizer should be applied now. Order yours today. Wachter Transfer Co.

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SORENSEN HDW. CO.

Christmas Greeting

Santa Claus has arrived at Our Store with a big line of Toys for girls and boys. May the New Year bring to all in this community Peace -- Plenty -- Prosperity.

Our line of Pocket Knives, Shears, Carving Sets, Game Shears, Electric Toasters, Waffle Irons and Sad Irons, is the best we can buy, regardless of price.

SLEDS, SKATES, SKIS, RUBBER TIRED WAGONS OF ALL KINDS

MAMA DOLLS 50c. \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50	SCOOTERS \$2.50, \$6.50	KIDDIE KARS \$1.65, \$2.25, \$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50
IVES ELECTRIC TRAINS \$6.50, \$8.50, \$12.00, \$18.00	ELECTRIC STEAM ENGINES \$9.50	DRUMS 95c. \$1.25, \$2.25 and \$4.00
KEY WINDING \$1.50, \$2.50, \$4.00	ELECTRIC RANGES \$9.50	MECHANICAL and FRICTION TOYS of all descriptions. Priced from 35c to \$4.00
STEAM ENGINES \$1.00, \$1.50, \$3.50		

Holiday Reduction Sales of LADIES WEAR

This year the reductions in the annual pre-holiday clearance sale are greater than normally, due to the late arrival of cold weather. There are some very exceptional values in our showing of coats, both those for women and in the coats for girls and children.

Winter is just commencing and this sale permits the choosing of wanted apparel at a decided saving.

THE ENTIRE STOCK OF COATS IS INCLUDED AT A REDUCTION OF 25%

Now is the time to select that coat you have wanted. There are genuine values here at prices that you will gladly pay when you see the splendid styles, and fabrics.

REDUCED PRICES ON DRESSES

"Better" dresses, of fashion-right fabrics and colors, are unusual values at reductions of 20% to 33 1/3% of their regular prices. Here is an exceptional group—dresses that we're proud of

\$49.50

These very smart dresses displaying individual trimming touches, are designed of Faille, Twills, Satin Cantons, etc., in all the wanted colors—values of \$50 to \$57.50, now

\$37.50

Smart dresses of new fall materials in seasonable shades in a group comprising those good styles—regularly priced \$37.50 to \$45.00

\$24.50

A group at a price that underestimates the quality and value that you will readily recognize. Dresses for every occasion in this group

\$19.50

SALE OF WINTER MILLINERY

Here is the opportunity to buy a new winter hat just in time for holiday wear—at a saving well worth considering. Smart shapes in velvet or felt, also some of the newer satins; large and small styles; black and colors. Values \$10 to \$15, now

\$6.95

In another group we offer some of the popular-priced hats at a remarkably low price. These include the \$6.00 to \$9.50 range, at

\$3.95

BE SURE TO SEE THE DRESSES

on our special value rack—most of them received just recently. Choice of any in the group

\$16.50

The Cummins COMPANY
Where Everybody Shops

It's Not Too Early For Your Christmas Shopping. You'll Find Many Suitable Gifts Here.

ASKS AID IN RODENT FIGHT IN BISMARCK

Week's Campaign to Rid Bismarck of the House Rat Is Planned

The opening of the anti-rat campaign on Wednesday Dec. 17, R. Scott Zimmerman, federal official declared today, will be a step forward and upward which is necessary for the proper development along healthful, economical and sanitary lines in any modern city of America regardless of the number of rodents we may have. It is not altogether the fault of the citizens of Bismarck that the rat is in our midst," declares Mr. Zimmerman, "but it will be the fault of each individual on whose property rats are found after the campaign has been concluded.

"Eliminating the rat is a cooperative measure in which every citizen should be vitally interested. Property and health are at stake where the rat stalks and no community, regardless of how small or great it may be, can well afford to risk life and property for the sake of the rat's time and the price of poison and traps that will be required to stamp out the pest, loathsome and destructive enemy of modern society. Today the rat is costing each man, woman and child in the United States \$2 per year in property and food consumed and destroyed. Two hundred million dollars is a handsome sum, figure up just how much you are donating at your home.

"Our forward step towards a cleaner city is an educational movement well worth the time spent to acquaint ourselves with ways and means of meeting problems of sanitation and tidiness about our homes and places of business regardless of the rat population which may exist. And in joining with the citizens of Bismarck in an anti-rat campaign, it is the object of the United States department of agriculture and Bismarck Association of Commerce to give the people the latest methods of controlling the rat by use of poison and traps in order to take care of the present situation and teach methods of ratproofing in order to deny the rat future food and quarters. Step toward eradicating the rat would not be complete without taking measures to guard the future. It is, therefore, another case of doing a worth while job well.

"In poisoning rats great care should be exercised in feeding them the kind of food they relish. Any poison will kill if we can get them to eat it. That's the little trick, but a rat has the sense of smell and taste just as a man does. His likes and dislikes change from time to time. Therefore, the department in recommending barium carbonate as a poison calls your attention to the fact that it is tasteless and odorless, and at the same time quite effective. Arrangements have been made whereby this poison can be purchased at your stores. Traps, in the event you wish to trap rather than poison, can be purchased at any hardware store."

TESTS FAIL TO COLLECT RADIO FUND

By NEA Service
Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 12.—Trying to get the fans to pay for their radio entertainment didn't pay.
E. J. Sweeney, owner of the Sweeney Auto School here and of broadcasting station WJIB, tried by three different means to collect enough money from his listeners to pay his entertainers—and failed. Worse, he incurred quite an expense from his own pocket.

It was in an effort to find the answer to the question, "Who shall pay for broadcasting?" that Sweeney conducted these experiments with his listeners. After the third unsuccessful attempt he decided to abandon his quest.

The question, so far as he is concerned, remains unanswered.

Paper First
First Sweeney tried to gain contributions from radio fans by publishing a weekly radio paper. He believed he would give his subscribers their money's worth in the paper alone. He would use the proceeds for publication of the paper and pay the entertainers out of the profits.
The subscription was to be \$2 a year. Sweeney sent out 40,000 circulars. He received offers amounting to \$1026, not enough to pay for the circulars alone.

He returned the money.
Sweeney's second idea was a Christmas fund for shut-ins and orphans. This was not to pay for entertainers, but its results show how difficult it is to get financial support for even such a beneficial enterprise.

Another Loss
His printing and other circularizing work cost him \$2640. He received \$161.

Undaunted by these failures, Sweeney tried what he thought ought to be a "knockout." It was a plan for an "invisible theater," with the radio broadcasting studio as the stage and thousands of fans as the audience.

Sweeney sent out 186,000 pieces of mail and spent \$4620 in printing and stamps alone, to gain support for this idea. He got back \$4168!

Believes In Fan
Yet Sweeney has faith in radio fans, in the public in general.

"No conclusions unfair to the fan should be drawn from these results," he says. "I believe thousands of fans who failed to contribute intended to help pay for these enterprises or for the entertainers. But they just put it off until they forgot."

"If they had the money ready, if they had a money order blank, or the stamps or a check and stamped envelope right at hand, at the time they received the circulars, they would have cooperated. Perhaps some day someone will find a better way to get a more hopeful response from the fans."

BEAUTY AND THE BEASTS

Owner and Her Champion English Bulldogs, Who Never Fail to Win Blue Ribbon



BESSIE BALLENTYNE, GOLDSTONE KING AND QUEEN.

Bessie Ballentyne of San Francisco is the owner of two of the greatest English bulldogs shown in years. She has trophies and blue ribbons to prove that Goldstone King and Queen are real champions.

VALUING U. S. RAILROADS IS SLOW TASK

Washington, Dec. 13.—Completion of the groundwork for valuing America's railroads, which the Interstate Commerce Commission has been carrying on since 1914, is not yet in sight.

When the work will be brought up to date, officials point out, depends largely upon when congress makes the necessary funds available. So far, the commission has spent some \$25,000,000 in the task of primary valuation, and the expense to the railroads themselves has been heavy.

Primary valuation, which forms the basis for the commission to determine "railroad" present-day worth, is now 90 percent completed, with respect to making up the original reports. These reports are reviewed and corrected. This latter work is now 60 percent completed. After the tentative valuation reports are served on a railroad, it may file exceptions to the commission's figures and be given a hearing. The commissioners determine both tentative and final valuation. If a road accepts the tentative valuation—no hearing is necessary.

After completion of the primary valuation figures for the country's railroads, the commission's officials say, the work of valuation will still go on, as railroads are continually adding equipment, improving property and being subject to changes in their financial affairs. These figures must be kept current, as a basis for rate-fixing.

Senator LaFollette is the father of the "valuation act," under which the commission is proceeding to fix the value of American railroads.

Radio Aerials No Lightning Menace

By NEA Service
Washington, Dec. 13.—Radio receiving antennas are no more menace from lightning than are wire clothes lines, metal gutters, down spouts or any other metal material connected with buildings.

This is the bugaboo of lightning from radio antennas given the final death stroke from no less an authoritative source than the Department of Commerce.

According to an announcement just issued from this department, antennas are not effective protection against lightning, yet they are so limited in size and extent that there should be no fear of their inviting fire from lightning.

"As commonly installed, they are of relatively small size," the report continues, "both in extent and in the diameter of the wires used. If grounded, or provided with a lightning arrester, they may effect gradual drainage of electricity as well as a lightning rod, but a direct stroke is likely to face them or tear them from their fastenings on account of their small diameter."

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The German general, Von Nathusis, is seen here standing before the French court martial which sentenced him to a year's imprisonment for looting homes in the village of Roubaix, France, during the German occupation in war days. The court met in Lille.

UNDERWOOD ASKS PROBE

Objects to Editorial in Washington Paper

Washington, Dec. 13.—Senator Underwood, Democrat, Alabama, today obtained unanimous consent of the senate to have an investigation of statements made about the Underwood Muscle Shoals bill and himself appearing today in an issue of the Washington Herald. The editorial was referred to the judiciary committee.

The Alabama Senator and former Democratic floor leader declared the newspaper had charged him with having been influenced in preparation of his bill by the Alabama Power Company and with yielding to corporate influence in his public life.

He replied that the inference was "a lie" and said he believed "the editorial was purchased by the interests who are trying to gobble this power at Muscle Shoals."

ARREST SEEN IN MURDER

Solution of Woods Slaying Is Believed Near

Baudette, Minn., Dec. 13.—After surveying additional evidence brought here by a special investigator, County Attorney E. C. Middleton of Baudette, declared the slaying of Mrs. Elsie Wheeler who was found dead in a isolated cabin in the northwest Angle country would probably be taken to custody within a week.

The clues brought out of the wilderness by an aged woodsman, who went by dog team to make a thorough investigation of the woman's death together with strands of information received from an investigator in Kansas, from where Mrs. Wheeler came with her husband a week after her marriage, are being checked, Mr. Middleton declared.

Mrs. Wheeler was found dead in the cabin by her husband and Constable Hagen, with whom the couple resided, when the two men returned from a nearby river. Though a coroner's jury, composed of homesteaders, returned a verdict of accidental death, an undertaker preparing the body for burial found indications that the woman may have been murdered. She was found on the cabin floor with a butcher knife through her side.

The woman's body was returned to Kansas for burial. Her husband and other relatives who came here accompanied the body to Mrs. Wheeler's home state.

Postal Pay Boost Measure Is Attacked

Washington, Dec. 13.—Another effort for an agreement for consideration of the postal pay increase bill failed today in the Senate.

The plan proposed would have provided that the bill be taken up January 8, but Senator Reed, Democrat, Missouri, blocked it because it contemplated reference of the measure to a committee. He declared it was an effort to kill.

OPERATION DELAYS CASE

Minot, N. D., Dec. 13.—An operation upon Jorgen Olson, former president of the American State Bank of Burlington, charged with three criminal offenses in connection with the operation of the bank and who was scheduled for preliminary examination today, necessitated an order for continuance of the cases. His condition is declared by attending physicians to be serious.

RIDES ON MILL
Antwerp, Dec. 13.—Jacques Harte takes daily rides on a windmill in a farm district near Antwerp. In a sufficiently strong wind Jacques sometimes attains a speed of 40 to 50 miles an hour through the air. For variety he turns hand-springs and stands on his head while the mill is revolving.

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Jusserand Was Great Pal of Roosevelt's

BY HARRY B. HUNT
NEA Service Writer

Washington, Dec. 13.—The approaching departure of Jules Jusserand, as ambassador from France has revived reminiscences of the days when the strenuous T. R. and the country French diplomat set new high marks for athletic activity in the Washington official set.

Probably no other foreign diplomat ever was on such intimate terms with an American president as Jusserand was with Roosevelt.

They played tennis together on the White House courts. They spent hours on long cross-country hikes. Between times they talked natural history, literature and the comparative merits of boxing versus fencing.

Jusserand was always bobbing up around the White House, and always was welcome. He had the run of the place. Some said he had a White House latchkey.

One of the stories recalled of the Roosevelt-Jusserand exploits is of a cross-country hike they took on a sweltering July day. They had been hitting it up with characteristic Rooseveltian vigor, up hill and down dale, when they came to a strenuous winding down toward the Potomac at a point where there seemed to be a good swimming hole.

"Ah! The Old Swimming Hole!" Roosevelt exclaimed. "How about a dip?"

No sooner said than done. With the abandon of three schoolboys playing hooky, Roosevelt, Jusserand and Archibald Butt, who was the third member of the expedition shed their hiking duds.

Roosevelt and Butt plunged in in good American fashion, but Jusserand waded in rather cautiously. He had got in about knee deep when T. R. noticed that he was still wearing his gloves—nice black ones, like an undertaker's.

"What's your idea?" Roosevelt asked. "Why the gloves?"

"Jussy" shrugged his shoulders and turned up his palms in a deprecatory French gesture.

"Who knows; there might, perhaps, some ladies come by," he said.

On another one of these hikes Henry Lodge was a participant. Lodge wasn't the ardent athlete that T. R. and Jusserand were, and the fast pace set by the president and the ambassador soon had him winded.

They had reached a stretch of rough up-hill going when Lodge called a halt.

Theodore, Theodore," he called, panting breathless. "Slow up a bit. You must think I'm a damned kangaroo."

The intimate palship between Roosevelt and Jusserand at this period is said to have caused a change

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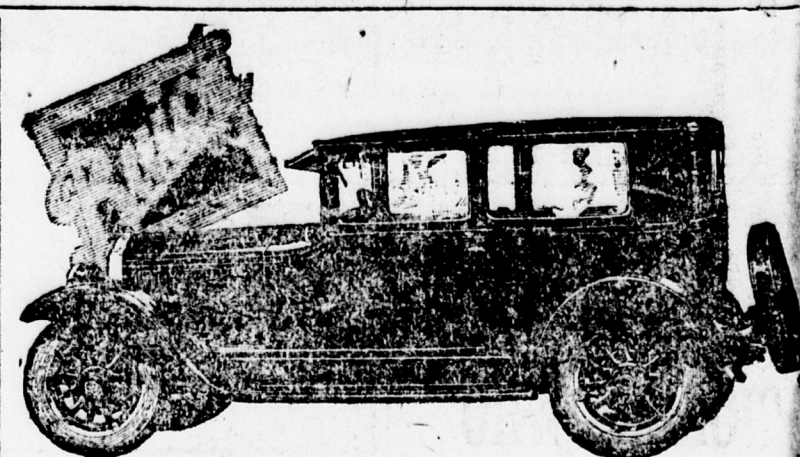
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The opening, which varied from unchanged figures to 1-8 cent higher, with Dec. \$1.64 1-2, May \$1.07 7-8 to \$1.68 1-4, and July \$1.48 to 1-8, was followed by a general setback to below yesterday's finish and then something of a rally.

Brakeman Saves Life, Grabbing Car Hand Rail

Dickinson, N. D., Dec. 13.—By grabbing a hand rail and clinging tight when he fell between two cars of his train at Sully Springs, Tuesday night, Norbert Voerdling, well known Northern Pacific freight brakeman, cheated death by a hair. Mr. Voerdling was going over the top of the slippery box car as the train lurched its way westward through the night. On the down grade the slack was suddenly taken up, causing him to miss his step and drop between the cars. Although badly stunned he was able to climb back to the top of the car where he lay until the train pulled into Medora. A cracked rib and bruises were the extent of his injuries. Mr. Voerdling said it was his most harrowing experience on the road and the closest he has ever been to kingdom come.

Grain Men To Come Here Mar. 25

Fargo, N. D., Dec. 13.—Dates for the annual convention of the North Dakota Farmers Grain Dealers association were fixed at March 25 to 27 at Bismarck at a meeting of the executive committee in Grand Forks yesterday. E. F. Gunkelman and Walter Reed of Fargo, members of the committee, returned to this city last night.

Routine business was conducted and discussion of the legislative program of the association for the year was held.

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CONTEST CASE SET FOR DEC. 22

Dickinson, N. D., Dec. 13.—Testimony in the case brought by James Soules against C. C. Turner contesting the election of the latter as sheriff of Stark county, will be heard by Judge Thomas H. Pugh in his court chambers here on December 22. It was announced this week. The contest, brought by Mr. Soules two weeks ago is based on alleged discrepancies in the counting of ballots in the Third and Fourth Dickinson wards, Lehigh, Wild Rose, Belfield, Fertile Valley, Farmers Township and Little Bad Lands precincts. It was charged by the contestant that election boards in these precincts counted ballots cast for him in favor of Mr. Turner.

At The Movies

CAPITOL

Milton Sills in "Why Women Re-Marry," which is scheduled to play a special engagement at the Capitol Theatre, starting next Monday, is declared to have further demonstrated his right to stardom by virtue of the performance he gives in this new picture. The picture comes to the Capitol direct from a long run in New York, where it has been a box office success and has won the praise of the critics.

"Why Women Re-Marry" is reported to be an unusually fine picture, novel in theme and artistic in handling. Written by Van A. James, it deals with the life stories of four wives, each one of whom was unhappily married and had independent and self-respect enough to find a way out of their unhappiness. The way each one solves her problem is said to result in a story replete with thrills, pathos and drama, which will be a decided place in the first rank of moving pictures of this type.

A "like minded" Dan Hanon, a double con, Milton Sills is given an opportunity to create the finest role of his career, those who have seen the picture report. He is supported by Esther Gray Terry, Wilfred Lucas, Carol Holloway, William Lowry, Marion Feducha and many other well known stars.

THE ELTINGE

Irene Rich, Marc McDermitt, Clara Bow and Creighton Hale come to the Eltinge for Monday and Tuesday in "This Woman" from the novel by Howard Crosby. A musical comedy, "Pigskin" and Pathe News are also on the program.

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PROGRESSIVES WILL GATHER

LaFollette Group to Hold Meeting Feb. 25

Washington, Dec. 13.—Members of the executive committee of the conference for progressive political action, the parent body behind the presidential candidacy of Senator LaFollette, voted to call a national convention in Chicago, Feb. 25, to determine the future course of their movement.

Although the question, under debate all day, had developed a division of opinion regarding the advisability of the step, Basil M. Manly, of Washington, chosen to announce the result of the deliberation, asserted there was substantial unanimity for the course decided upon.

Convicted of Murder, Death Is Sentence

Chicago, Dec. 13.—Russell Scott, one-time wealthy Canadian construction engineer and promoter, was found guilty last night of the murder of Joseph Maurer, drug-store clerk, in a holdup last April and his punishment was fixed at death by the jury, which deliberated only 45 minutes. Argument on a motion for a new trial was set by Judge Lynch for hearing on January 3.

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Story Denied By Cousin of Pres. Harding

Duquoin, Ill., Dec. 13.—Francis E. Pope, of Spokane, Wash., a cousin of the late President Harding, denied here today that he had been offered \$1,000,000 "or any other sum" to use his influence to obtain Presidential consent for sale of the government's wooden fleet.

Amendment of Transportation Law Favored

Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 13.—Amendment of the present transportation law so as to make 2 1-2 miles the minimum for which transportation will be paid for pupils, is favored by the legislative committee of the North Dakota Education association, according to Miss Minnie J. Nielson, state superintendent of public instruction, who addressed Grand Forks county school directors meeting here.

Elimination of the age limit from the compulsory school law, to make completion of the eighth grade work compulsory for all pupils of sufficient mentality, and stiffening of the teachers' certification law, also will be urged, Miss Nielson said.

President Thomas F. Kane was the chief speaker at a dinner held last night for the school directors. Miss Nielson is scheduled to speak again today.

GIRL HURT AS CAR OVERTURNS

Judson, N. D., Dec. 13.—Gertrude, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schieck suffered a fractured skull and a broken collarbone and for a time was in critical condition, when the automobile in which she was riding crashed over a twelve foot bank and overturned.

Mr. Schieck and children Gertrude and Edwin were returning from New Salem where the father had taken the two to be vaccinated when the accident occurred. The driver believes something went wrong with the steering gear.

Edwin, the son, was unconscious for a number of hours but other than scratches and bruises was not seriously hurt. Mr. Schieck suffered an injured shoulder.

BERLIN FRUIT DEALERS AWAIT APPLES FROM UNITED STATES

Berlin, Dec. 13.—Fancy apples in the first-class shops have been selling here this fall as high as 90 cents each. They are from France, without blemishes, and apparently raised with great care. American apples, chiefly from the Pacific northwest, were retailed here

End of "Lame Ducks" Is Seen in Near Future

BY CHARLES P. STEWART NEA Service Writer

Washington, Dec. 13.—This will not be the last "lame-duck" session of an American Congress. It takes too long to amend the Constitution for that.

The end of "lame-duck-ism" is in sight, however. The Senate already has passed the resolution for a vote of the states to that end. The House has yet to act on it, but it probably will do so favorably, before next March 4. Then it will be up to the states to ratify the amendment. All indications are when they do, that it will be "thumbs down" for "lame ducks." The theory is, at an election the people decide whether they are suited with the Congress they have got, or not.

Vote Their Choices

If they are suited, presumably they re-elect most of the old representatives and senators. If not suited, presumably they retire the ones they don't like and elect others in their places.

The election is held in November but, unless there is an extra session, a year ago in great quantities, but as yet none have appeared this season. Dealers say the American apples will be along for the holidays, and the choicest ones will probably sell for 10 or 15 cents apiece. Ordinary apples, however, German-grown, may be purchased from the push-cart dealers in the streets for from 10 to 15 cents a pound.

New Prize-Winning Two-Year-Old

By NEA Service Warren, Minn., Dec. 13.—World's record in milk production for senior two-year-olds is now claimed by Queen Bessie Pietertje Ormsby, a Holstein owned by C. L. Spaulding, near here. In a 365 days' test, Queen Bessie produced 21,876.6 pounds of milk and 895.63 pounds of butterfat, equivalent to 1119.5 pounds of butter. Queen Bessie is a granddaughter of the famous Holstein sire, Sir Pietertje Ormsby Mercedes.

FRANCE WILL HONOR A POET IN ALL CORNERS OF THE WORLD

Paris, Dec. 13.—A special postage stamp has been issued by the postal authorities to mark the fourth centenary of the birth of the celebrated French lyric poet, Pierre de Ronsard, who was born in September, 1555.

MANDAN WINS FROM CARSON

Mandan high school's basketball team defeated Carson, 17 to 7, in Mandan last night.

Carson plays Bismarck here tonight.

Cold Weather Moves East

Washington, Dec. 13.—Much colder weather will overpread all sections east of the Mississippi river within the next 36 to 48 hours and freezing temperature is probable as far south as the Alabama and Mis-

LITTLE JOE

THE NEXT DOOR NEIGHBOR THINKS CUPS WERE MADE TO BORROW FLOUR IN!



The stamp, which is blue, bears the head of the poet, with the dates 1524-1924. Its denomination is 75 centimes, the amount affixed to letters going abroad, so it will be seen abroad the world. The issue will be withdrawn from sale Dec. 31.

More Bombing Power Needed

Washington, Dec. 13. The recent attacks off the Virginia capes on the battleship Washington, scrapped under the Naval treaty, demonstrated that new bombing planes will have to be developed to carry more destructive bombs. Major General Patrick of the Army air service, de-

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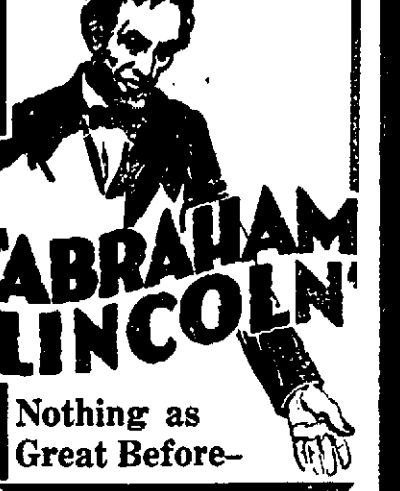
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Wheat Price Rises Remarkably, Then Declines

Chicago, Dec. 13.—Although wheat today promptly broke another high price record for the season, profit-taking sales soon led to declines. On the downturns, however, aggressive buying again developed. The new buying was apparently based on indications that export business over night had been of fair volume and that likelihood of reduction of the United States visible supply total on Monday was becoming more pronounced.

The opening, which varied from unchanged figures to 1-3-8 cents higher, with Dec. \$1.64 1-2, May \$1.67 7-8 to \$1.68 1-4, and July \$1.48 to 1-8, was followed by a general setback to below yesterday's finish and then something of a rally.

Brakeman Saves Life, Grabbing Car Hand Rail

Dickinson, N. D., Dec. 13.—By grabbing a hand rail and clinging tight when he fell between two cars of his train at Sully Springs Tuesday night, Norbert Voeding, well known Northern Pacific freight brakeman, cheated death by a hair. Mr. Voeding was going over the top of the slippery box car as the train lurched its way westward through the night. On the down grade the slack was suddenly taken up, causing him to miss his step and drop between the cars. Although badly stunned he was able to climb back to the top of the car where he lay until the train pulled into Medora. A cracked rib and bruises were the extent of his injuries but Norb said that it was his most harrowing experience on the road and the closest he has ever been to kingdom come.

Grain Men To Come Here Mar. 25

Fargo, N. D., Dec. 13.—Dates for the annual convention of the North Dakota Farmers Grain Dealers association were fixed at March 25 to 27 at Bismarck at a meeting of the executive committee in Grand Forks yesterday. R. F. Gunkelman and Walter Reed of Fargo, members of the committee, returned to this city last night.

Routine business was conducted and discussion of the legislative program of the association for the year was held.

Cleaner, Safer and Cheaper. Cook by Electricity.

CONTEST CASE SET FOR DEC. 22

Dickinson, N. D., Dec. 13.—Testimony in the case brought by James Soules against C. C. Turner contesting the election of the latter as sheriff of Stark county, will be heard by Judge Thomas H. Pugh in his court chambers here on December 22. It was announced this week. The contest, brought by Mr. Soules two weeks ago, is based on alleged discrepancies in the counting of ballots in the Third and Fourth Dickinson wards, Lehigh, Wild Rose, Balfield, Fertile Valley, Farmers Township and Little Bad Lands precincts. It was charged by the contestant that election boards in these precincts counted ballots cast for him in favor of Mr. Turner.

At The Movies

CAPITOL

Milton Sills in "Why Women Re-Marry," which is scheduled to play a special engagement at the Capitol theatre, starting next Monday, is declared to have further demonstrated his right to stardom by virtue of the performance he gives in this new picture. The picture comes to the Capitol direct from a long run in New York, where theatre-goers and fan lovers were loud in their praise not only of Sills, but of the high entertainment value of this new drama of love and marriage.

"Why Women Re-Marry," is reported to be an unusually fine picture, novel in theme and artistic in handling. Written by Van A. James, it deals with the life stories of four wives, each one of whom was unhappily married and had independence and self-respect enough to find a way out of their unhappiness. The way each one solves her problem is said to result in a story replete with thrills, pathos and drama, which critics declare places it in the front rank of moving pictures of this type.

As "big hearted Dan Harmon," a lovable con, Milton Sills is given an opportunity to create the finest role of his career, those who have seen the picture report. He is supported by Esther Grey Terry, Wilfred Lucas, Carol Holloway, William Lowry, Marion Feducha and many other well known stars.

THE ELTINGE

Irene Rich, Marc McDermitt, Clara Bow and Creighton Hale come to the Eltinge for Monday and Tuesday in "This Woman" from the novel by Howard Rokey. A mermaid comedy, "Pigskin" and Pathe News are also on the program.

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PROGRESSIVES WILL GATHER

LaFollette Group to Hold Meeting Feb. 25

Washington, Dec. 13.—Members of the executive committee of the conference for progressive political action, the parent body behind the presidential candidacy of Senator LaFollette, voted to call a national convention in Chicago, Feb. 25, to determine the future course of their movement.

Although the question, under debate all day, had developed a division of opinion regarding the advisability of the step, Basil M. Manley, of Washington, chosen to announce the result of the deliberation, asserted there was substantial unanimity for the course decided upon.

Convicted of Murder, Death Is Sentence

Chicago, Dec. 13.—Russell Scott, one-time wealthy Canadian construction engineer and promoter, was found guilty last night of the murder of Joseph Maurer, drug-store clerk, in a holdup last April and his punishment was fixed at death by the jury, which deliberated only 45 minutes. Argument on a motion for a new trial was set by Judge Lynch for hearing on January 3.

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Story Denied By Cousin of Pres. Harding

Duquoin, Ill., Dec. 13.—Francis E. Pope, of Spokane, Wash., a cousin of the late President Harding, denied here today that he had been offered \$1,000,000 "or any other sum" to use his influence to obtain Presidential consent for sale of the government's wooden fleet.

Amendment of Transportation Law Favored

Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 13.—Amendment of the present transportation law so as to make 2 1-2 miles the minimum for which transportation will be paid for pupils, is favored by the legislative committee of the North Dakota Education association, according to Miss Minnie J. Nielson, state superintendent of public instruction, who addressed Grand Forks county school directors meeting here.

Elimination of the age limit from the compulsory school law, to make completion of the eighth grade work compulsory for all pupils of sufficient mentality, and stiffening of the teachers' certification law, also will be urged, Miss Nielson said.

President Thomas F. Kane was the chief speaker at a dinner held last night for the school directors. Miss Nielson is scheduled to speak again today.

GIRL HURT AS CAR OVERTURNS

Judson, N. D., Dec. 13.—Gertrude, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schieck suffered a fractured skull and a broken collarbone and for a time was in critical condition, when the automobile in which she was riding crashed over a twelve foot bank and overturned.

Mr. Schieck and children Gertrude and Edwin were returning from New Salem where the father had taken the two to be vaccinated when the accident occurred. The driver believes something went wrong with the steering gear.

Edwin, the son, was unconscious for a number of hours but other than scratches and bruises was not seriously hurt. Mr. Schieck suffered an injured shoulder.

BERLIN FRUIT DEALERS AWAIT APPLES FROM UNITED STATES

Berlin, Dec. 13.—Fancy apples in the first-class shops have been selling here this fall as high as 90 cents each. They are from France, without blemishes, and apparently raised with great care.

American apples, chiefly from the Pacific northwest, were retailed here

End of "Lame Ducks" Is Seen in Near Future

BY CHARLES P. STEWART
NEA Service Writer

Washington, Dec. 13.—This will not be the last "lame-duck" session of an American Congress. It takes too long to amend the Constitution for that.

The end of "lame duck-ism" is in sight, however.

The Senate already has passed the resolution for a vote of the states to that end. The House has yet to act on it, but it probably will do so, and favorably, before next March 4. Then it will be up to the state legislatures to decide. All indications are, when they do, that it will be "thumbs down" for "lame ducks."

The theory is, at an election the people decide whether they are suited with the Congress they have got, or not.

Vote Their Choices

If they are suited, presumably they re-elect most of the old representatives and senators. If not suited, presumably they retire the ones they don't like and elect others in their places.

The election is held in November but, unless there is an extra session, a year ago in great quantities, but as yet none have appeared this season. Dealers say the American apples will be along for the holidays and the choicest ones will probably sell for 10 or 15 cents apiece. Ordinary apples, however, German-grown, may be purchased from the push-cart dealers in the streets for from 10 to 15 cents a pound.

Consent For Two Missouri Bridges Asked

Washington, Dec. 13.—Congressional consent for the construction of two bridges across the Missouri River in North Dakota was asked yesterday in bills introduced by Rep. Sinclair of that state. One bridge would be near Williston and one near Sanish.

MANDAN WINS FROM CARSON

Mandan high school's basketball team defeated Carson, 17 to 7, in Mandan last night.

Carson plays Bismarck here tonight.

Cold Weather Moves East

Washington, Dec. 13.—Much colder weather will overpread all sections east of the Mississippi river within the next 36 to 48 hours and freezing temperature is probable as far south as the Alabama and Mis-

sissippi by Monday morning, the weather bureau announced today.

Cold wave warnings have been issued for the Ohio Valley, the lower Lake region and northern and central New York.

New Prize-Winning Two-Year-Old

By NEA Service
Warren, Minn., Dec. 13.—World's record in milk production for senior two-year-olds is now claimed by Queen Bessie Pietertje Ormsby, a Holstein owned by C. L. Spaulding, near here.

In a 365 days' test, Queen Bessie produced 21,587.6 pounds of milk and 895.63 pounds of butterfat, equivalent to 119.5 pounds of butter.

Queen Bessie is a granddaughter of the famous Holstein sire, Sir Pietertje Ormsby Mercedes.

FRANCE WILL HONOR A POET IN ALL CORNERS OF THE WORLD

Paris, Dec. 13.—A special postage stamp has been issued by the postal authorities to mark the fourth centenary of the birth of the celebrated French lyric poet, Pierre de Ronsard, who was born in September, 1555.

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ber, 1924.

The stamp, which is blue, bears the head of the poet, with the dates 1524-1924. Its denomination is 75 centimes, the amount affixed to letters going abroad, so it will be seen around the world. The issue will be withdrawn from sale Dec. 31.

More Bombing Power Needed

Washington, Dec. 13.—The recent attacks off the Virginia capes on the battleship Washington, scrapped under the Naval treaty, demonstrated that new bombing planes will have to be developed to carry more destructive bombs, Major General Patrick of the Army air service, de-

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ASKS AID IN RODENT FIGHT IN BISMARCK

Week's Campaign to Rid Bismarck of the House Rat Is Planned

The object of the anti-rat campaign on Wednesday Dec. 17, R. Scott Zimmerman, federal official declared today, will be a step forward and upward which is necessary for the proper development along healthful, economical and sanitary lines in any modern city of America regardless of the number of rodents we may have. It is not altogether the fault of the citizens of Bismarck that the rat is in our midst," declares Mr. Zimmerman, "but it will be the fault of each individual on whose property rats are found after the campaign has been conducted."

"Eliminating the rat is a cooperative measure in which every citizen should be vitally interested. Property and health are at stake where the rat is found in the community, regardless of how small or great it may be. It can well afford to risk life and property for the sake of the few hours' time and the price of poison, but it will be required to fight out the most vile, loathsome and destructive enemy of modern society. Today the rat is costing each man, woman and child in the United States \$2 per year in property and food consumed and destroyed. Two hundred million dollars is a handsome sum, figure up just how much you are donating at your home."

"Our forward step towards a cleaner city, is an educational movement well worth the time spent to acquaint ourselves with ways and means of meeting problems of sanitation and tidiness about our homes and places of business regardless of the rat population which may exist. In joining with the citizens of Bismarck in an anti-rat campaign, it is the object of the United States department of agriculture and Bismarck Association of Commerce to give the people the latest methods of controlling the rat by use of poison and traps in order to take care of the present situation and teach methods of ratproofing in order to deny the rat future food and quarters. Steps toward educating the rat will not be complete without taking measures to guard the future. It is, therefore, another case of doing a worth while job well."

"In poisoning rats great care should be exercised in feeding them the kind of food they relish. Any poison will kill if we can get them to eat it. That's the little trick, but it is as simple as A, B, C. His likes and dislikes change from time to time. Therefore, the department in recommending barium carbonate as a poison calls your attention to the fact that it is tasteless and odorless, and at the same time quite effective. Arrangements have been made whereby this poison can be purchased at your stores. Traps, in the event you wish to trap rather than poison, can be purchased at any hardware store."

TESTS FAIL TO COLLECT RADIO FUND

By NEA Service
Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 12.—Trying to get the fans to pay for their radio entertainment doesn't pay. E. J. Sweeney, owner of the Sweeney Auto School here of the broadcasting station WBB, tried by three different means to collect enough money from his listeners to pay his entertainers—and failed. Worse, he incurred quite an expense from his own pocket.

It was in an effort to find the answer to the question, "Who shall pay for broadcasting?" that Sweeney conducted these experiments with his listeners. After the third unsuccessful attempt he decided to abandon his quest.

The question, so far as he is concerned, remains unanswered.

Paper First
First Sweeney tried to gain contributions from radio fans by publishing a weekly radio paper. He believed he would give his subscribers their money's worth in the paper alone. He would use the proceeds for publication of the paper and pay the entertainers out of the profits.

The subscription was to be \$2 a year. Sweeney sent out 40,000 circulars. He received offers amounting to \$1026, not enough to pay for the circulars alone.

He returned the money.

Sweeney's second idea was a Christmas fund for shut-ins and orphans. This was not to pay for entertainers, but its results show how difficult it is to get financial support for even such a beneficial enterprise.

Another Loss
His printing and other circularizing work cost him \$2640. He received \$161.

Undaunted by these failures, Sweeney tried what he thought ought to be a "knockout." It was a plan for an "invincible theater," with the radio broadcasting studio as the stage and thousands of fans as the audience.

Sweeney sent out 186,000 pieces of mail and spent \$4620 in printing and stamps alone, to gain support for this idea. He got back \$4168!

Believes in Fan
Yet Sweeney has faith in radio fans, in the public in general.

"No conclusions unfair to the fan should be drawn from these results," he says. "I believe thousands of fans who failed to contribute intended to help pay for these enterprises or for the entertainers. But they just put it off until they forgot."

If they had the money ready, if they had a money order blank or the stamps on a check and stamp envelope right at hand, at the time they received the circulars, they would have cooperated. Perhaps some day someone will find a better way to get a more hopeful response from the fans."

BEAUTY AND THE BEASTS

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VALUING U. S. RAILROADS IS SLOW TASK

Washington, Dec. 12.—Completion of the groundwork of valuing America's railroads, which the Interstate Commerce Commission has been carrying on since 1914, is not yet in sight.

When the work will be brought up to date, officials point out, depends largely upon when congress makes the necessary funds available. So far, the commission has spent some \$25,000,000 in the task of primary valuation, and the expense to the railroads themselves has been heavy.

Primary valuation, which forms the basis for the commission to determine the railroads' present worth, is now 90 percent completed, with respect to making up the original reports. These reports are reviewed and corrected. This latter work is now 60 percent completed.

After the tentative valuation reports are served on a railroad, it may file exceptions to the commission's figures and be given a hearing. The commissioners determine both tentative and final valuation. If a road accepts the tentative valuation no hearing is necessary.

After completion of the primary valuation figures for the country's railroads, the commission's officials say, the work of valuation will go on, as railroads are continually adding equipment, improving property and being subject to changes in their financial affairs. These figures must be kept current, as a basis for rate-fixing.

Senator La Follette is the father of the "valuation act," under which the commission is proceeding to fix the value of American railroads.

Radio Aerials No Lightning Menace

By NEA Service
Washington, Dec. 12.—Radio receiving antennas are no more menaced from lightning than are wire clothes lines, metal gutters, down spouts or any other metal material connected with buildings.

Thus is the bugaboo of lightning from radio antennas given the final death stroke from no less an authority as a source than the Department of Commerce.

According to an announcement just issued from this department, antennas are not effective protection against lightning, yet they are so limited in size and extent that they should not be feared of their inviting fire from lightning.

"As commonly installed, they are of relatively small size," the report continues, "both in extent and in the diameter of the wires used. If grounded, or provided with a lightning arrester, they may effect gradual drainage of electricity as well as a lightning rod, but a direct stroke is likely to fuse them or tear them from their fastenings, on account of their small diameter."

"Moreover, the ground lead of an

GERMAN GENERAL ON TRIAL



The German general, Von Nathusius, is seen here standing before the French court martial which sentenced him to a year's imprisonment for looting homes in the village of Roubaix, France, during the German occupation in war days. The court met in Lille.

UNDERWOOD ASKS PROBE

Objects to Editorial in Washington Paper

Washington, Dec. 12.—Senator Underwood, Democrat, Alabama, today obtained unanimous consent of the senate to have an investigation of statements made about the Underwood Muscle Shoals bill and himself appearing today in an issue of the Washington Herald. The editorial was referred to the judiciary committee.

The Alabama Senator and former Democratic floor leader declared the newspaper had charged him with having been influenced in preparation of his bill by the Alabama Power Company and with yielding to corporate influence in his public life.

He replied that the inference was "a lie" and said he believed "the editorial was purchased by the interests who are trying to gobble this power at Muscle Shoals."

ARREST SEEN IN MURDER

Solution of Woods Slaying Is Believed Near

Baudette, Minn., Dec. 13.—After surveying additional evidence brought here by a special investigator, County Attorney E. C. Middleton of Baudette, declared the slayer of Mrs. Elsie Wheeler who was found dead recently in an isolated cabin in the northwest Angle country would probably be taken in to custody within a week.

The clues brought out of the wilderness by an aged woodsman, who went by dog team to make a thorough investigation of the woman's death together with strands of information received from an investigator in Kansas, from where Mrs. Wheeler came with her husband a week after her marriage, are being checked, Mr. Middleton declared.

Mrs. Wheeler was found dead in the cabin by her husband and Conrad Hagen, with whom the couple resided, when the two men returned from a nearby river. Though a coroner's jury, composed of hometowners, returned a verdict of accidental death, an undertaker preparing the body for shipment found indications that the woman may have been murdered. She was found on the cabin floor with a butcher knife through her side.

The woman's body was returned to Kansas for burial. Her husband and other relatives who came here accompanied the body to Mrs. Wheeler's home state.

Broadcasters Hit Anti-Power Drive

By NEA Service
New York, Dec. 12.—Although disguised among themselves on the matter of high-power broadcasting, broadcasters of the country have turned down a request to join in a campaign against it.

This request came from Joel J. Michael of the Citizens' Radio Committee of New York, in which he informed the broadcasters of plans for a drive to petition Secretary Hoover against approving applications for broadcasting under power higher than exists at present.

In reply, Paul J. Klugh, executive chairman of the National Association of Broadcasters, says this question is too complicated for the lay listeners to decide.

"Anyone who sat through the meetings of the sub-committee discussing this question at the recent radio conference in Washington could come to no other conclusion than that the matter could and very properly should be left to the secretariat of commerce, with the recommendations that the use of high power be continued upon an experimental basis," Klugh writes.

"This conclusion was reached after three days of lengthy discussion by some of the best radio minds in the country and was agreed to by both proponents and opponents of high power."

OPERATION DELAYS CASE

Minot, N. D., Dec. 12.—An operation upon Jounen Olson, former president of the American State Bank of Burlington, charged with three criminal offenses in connection with the operation of the bank and who was scheduled for preliminary examination today, necessitated an order for continuance of the cases. His condition is declared by attending physicians to be serious.

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Jusserand Was Great Pal of Roosevelt's

BY HARRY B. HUNT
NEA Service Writer

Washington, Dec. 13. The approaching departure of Jules Jusserand as ambassador from France has revived reminiscences of the days when the strenuous T. R. and the equally French diplomat set new high marks for athletic activity in the Washington official set.

Probably no other foreign diplomat ever was on such intimate terms with an American president as Jusserand was with Roosevelt.

They played tennis together on the White House courts. They spent hours on long cross-country hikes. Between times they talked natural history, literature and the comparative merits of boxing versus fencing.

Jusserand was always bobbing up around the White House, and always was welcome. He had the run of the place. Some said he had a White House latchkey.

One of the stories recalled of the Roosevelt-Jusserand exploits is of a cross-country hike they took on a wetting July day. They had been hitting it up with characteristic Rooseveltian vigor, up hill and down dale, when they came to a stream winding down toward the Potomac at a point where there seemed to be a good swimming hole.

"Ah! The Old Swimming Hole!" Roosevelt exclaimed. "How about a dip?"

No sooner said than done. With the abandon of three schoolboys playing hockey, Roosevelt, Jusserand and Archibald Butt, who was the third member of the expedition shed their hiking duds.

Roosevelt and Butt plunged in in good American fashion, but Jusserand waded in rather cautiously. He had got in about knee deep when T. R. noticed that he was still wearing his gloves—nice black ones, like an undertaker's.

"What's the idea?" Roosevelt asked. "Why the gloves?"

"Jussy" shrugged his shoulders and turned up his palms in a deprecatory French gesture.

"Who knows; there might, perhaps, some ladies come by," he said.

On another one of these hikes Henry Lodge was a participant. Lodge wasn't the ardent athlete that T. R. and Jusserand were, and the last pace set by the president and the ambassador soon had him winded. They had reached a stretch of rough up-hill going when Lodge called a halt.

"Theodore, Theodore," he called, panting, breathless. "Slow up a bit. You must think I'm a damned kangaroo."

The intimate palship between Roosevelt and Jusserand at this period is said to have caused a change



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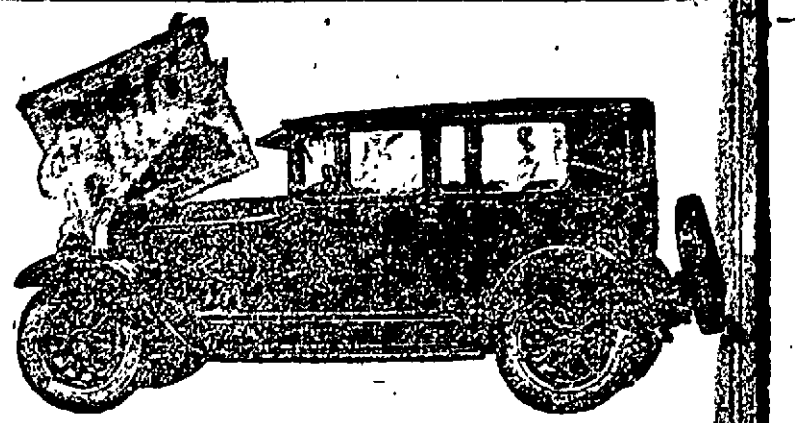
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THE STATE'S OLDEST NEWSPAPER
(Established 1873)

GOMPERS PASSES

Samuel Gompers was called "the grand old man of labor." He had piloted the American Federation of Labor through many stormy periods in two score years as its head. He won many a political battle for control, and he dominated American labor's policy.

Gompers enjoyed the respect of many captains of industry, although often they felt they were inherently opposed to his position, or disagreed with him for other reasons. He built the American Federation of Labor into a great organization, and he did much to preserve it from the ills attending labor movements in Europe.

Gompers believed essentially in the dignity of labor. He supported strikes, but he did not support murder or revolution. He believed in the craft system—a survival of the guild system of olden days. He believed efficiency of organized labor was its greatest asset. He fought the Communism of Russia, and long opposed the movement for a labor party in this nation. Gompers held labor could be successful in politics in supporting friends of labor, and believed that labor should be free to go to Congress as any other interests or citizens and ask fair dealing. Gompers supported the war, both because he was a patriotic citizen and because he believed it was for the preservation of democracy.

The rise of Gompers from a poor boy in London to the head of a great organization, and to a position of power, is itself a dramatic achievement.

The passing of Gompers may mean a great change in the labor movement. Each year for the last several, except the most recent convention, he has fought the Communists, those who believed in a Labor party similar to that in Great Britain, and the "one big union" idea. Unless an outstanding figure rises to the head of labor with the same ideas of Gompers, many bitter struggles for a change in policy may be expected.

COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS

Good fellows are wanted to help distribute Christmas cheer in the less fortunate homes of the city. There are many needy this year as in 1923. Those who want to help, the way of Christmas donations or in giving personal service should communicate with Miss Mary Cashel who is in charge of the welfare work for this city. She can be reached at the Red Cross offices in the City National Bank building.

Through the operation of the registration bureau, duplication in giving has been largely eliminated. Professional beggars after charity have been detected and the lists drawn up for Christmas contain only the names of the most needy cases.

But there is another aspect to the Community Christmas which is being sponsored by the various organizations of the city, acting under the auspices of the Association of Commerce. It is planned to have a community celebration in which everyone can participate. Plans are maturing for a celebration in keeping with the holiday season.

The citizens should join in the affair heartily and through agency express a real Christmas spirit. There should be no lack of Good Fellows in Bismarck and no little heart could be disappointed. Just send a letter, care of Good Fellows, Association of Commerce, if you are afraid that Santa Claus will forget you on the eventful Christmas evening.

Through trained workers most families in need of aid have been ascertained and their wants investigated. For the list is not a very long one, but the committee in charge of the Community Celebration want to do a good job and ask the cooperation of all.

SLACKERS

Complete returns show that out of every 1000 citizens entitled to vote, 528 cast ballots for president this year. In 1920, the figure was only 491 out of 1000.

The gain is small. But it's far from discouraging. The vote has, at least, been turned. For 40 years the percentage of vote slackers increased steadily. A situation like that cannot be remedied in a few months of educational campaigning. The campaign must be continued steadily.

TATTOO

It's doubtful if any individual in history ever got Uncle Sam's goat in a petty way quite as much as the young fellow who has enlisted and deserted 41 times in army, navy or marine corps.

Officers are so riled at his elusiveness that every recruiting station has a standing order to examine all applicants in hope of finding a tattooed cat on the left forearm. This is the champion deserter's "trade-mark." Telegraph news will tell you when he's caught—if.

DIAMONDS

Diamonds occasionally are found in glacial drift in our country. One as big as 17 karats was discovered in gravel while digging a well in Wisconsin.

These diamonds were brought down from somewhere in Canada, carried along in gravel accompanying glaciers of long ago. Geologists now are tracing the course of these glaciers. They expect to find the mother diamond mines up north.

Geologist is taking the place of the prospector in mining and oil.

Wouldn't it be nice if summer came every winter and winter came every summer?

When it comes to bank rolls, "Roll you own," is a fine motto.

Only thing some people save for a rainy day is rheumatism.

Editorial Review

Comments reproduced in this column may or may not express the opinion of The Tribune. They are presented here in order that our readers may have both sides of important issues which are being discussed in the press of the day.

AN OLD, OLD STORY

(Fargo Forum)

The other day Ben L. Salinger, Jr., the so-called "brains" of the \$8,000,000 Midland Packing Company of Iowa, which was presumably organized "to give the farmers a better market," was found guilty on mail fraud charges in Federal Court and sentenced to four years in Leavenworth penitentiary.

While the Midland Company was organized on a much larger scale than many such organizations, still the tactics used in its organization were similar to the tactics used during recent years by many other so-called "friends of the farmers" in promoting companies "to give the farmers a better market."

In part the Midland story reads thus: The Midland Packing Company was formed at Sioux City, Iowa, late in 1917. Beginning in 1918 the company employed a large staff of "high pressure" salesmen and sold nearly \$9,000,000 worth of stock.

In January, 1920, a plant costing \$2,500,000 began operations. Two months later it closed with an operating loss of \$200,000 and with debts of \$1,000,000.

Farmers of South Dakota are said to have lost \$3,000,000. Farmers of Iowa, Nebraska, North Dakota and Minnesota are reported to have lost smaller amounts.

It is an old, old story, but every so often the lesson has to be learned over again. And it is not the farmer alone who listens to smooth promoters, by any manner of means, but he has been subjected to attempts at particular exploitation in recent years because of the agricultural depression.

But not this: When a better market did come, it came not through the medium of suave promoters, "high pressure" stock salesmen or political snake doctors, but through the law of supply and demand, backed by sane governmental effort to get the world on a sound economic basis.

If a better market is to continue, it will not continue through chasing rainbows in search of a theoretical Utopia, but because of sound government and sound domestic and World economic policies.

ADVENTURE OF THE TWINS

BY OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

"Well, what's the next riddle?" asked Peter, Peter.

Nancy turned the page—and behold! There weren't any!

"That must be all," she said. "I didn't know they would be over so soon. That's too bad! We'll have to be going back home, now."

"Oh, don't!" begged Jill.

"Oh, please don't!" begged Jack.

"Indeed I just won't let you go," declared Mrs. John.

The Twins really didn't know what to do. It was nice, and they had to go home. They just have to. As I was passing their house on my magic dust-pan, I heard their mother say that she wished they wouldn't stay out so late to play. She thinks they are playing down in the meadow."

"Yes, and I have to go to the store in town tomorrow to get a new winter coat," said Nancy. "I get a new one every other year and this is my year to get one."

"What's that?" asked Bo Peep smoothing out her satin skirt and straightening the bow under her chin.

"A winter coat!" cried Nancy. "Don't you know? Well, when it gets very cold, and I have to go to school, children have to have warm coats to keep them from being nipped by Jack Frost."

"Who is he?" asked the Little-Boy Who Lived-in-the-Lane. "And what is snow?"

"For goodness sake!" cried Nick. "Don't you know anything! I should think your black-sheep would tell you all about Jack Frost and cold weather. That's what his wool is for, to make warm clothes."

"Tut, tut!" said Mother Goose. "Don't be so hasty, little boy. I never snows in Mother Goose Land as it is really part of Fairyland. So that is why Mother Goose people do not know much about snow and cold weather."

Suddenly the Riddle Lady appeared. "I hurried back as soon as I could come," she said. "Are the riddles all over?"

"Yes," said Nancy. "They have all been read and they have all been guessed."

"That's fine," said the Riddle Lady. "I had a telegram about my chimneys and I just had to go."

"Chimneys?" cried the Twins. "What was wrong with them?"

"Oh, the Sweep got lost," said the Riddle Lady. "I have so many chimneys and flues in my house they are like a cross-word puzzle. So when the Sweep got lost cleaning them out, I had to go and see about it. We found him all right, however. He had gone to sleep at his work."

"If you are going home now, I'll take you," said Daddy Gander. "Jump on my magic dust-pan—you too, Twins—and I'll have you all home in no time."

After many good-byes—whiff! whuff! A short journey through the air and they were home.

(To Be Continued)

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Timber farming has not been profitable in the United States.

Georgia has 310,732 farms.

All Is Cheer Along the Potomac



St. Louis news today. Man asked a policeman to shoot him. Maybe he believed what his wife said about him.

Christmas is coming in Chicago. Girl says she forgives a man who shot her in the ear.

Our selection, after much thought, of an All-America football team this season is Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus.

What means Christmas in four letters? No, it isn't "Xmas." Give up? Well, that's it. It is "give."

Bad Utah news today. Car load of eggs broken in a train wreck. And the hens so busy trying to lay up some for Christmas.

Life, to a turkey, is just one darn holiday after another.

Christmas and Thanksgiving were put a month apart to give us all time to get hungry again.

Only four more shopping months before Easter. How time flies. And after Easter comes fly time. No hum.

Prosperity is coming back unless we start yelling and scaring it away.

The only real relief for a bad cold seems to be cussing.

A very practical costume for the chilly nights is a stove trimmed with an easy chair and a book.

Be careful when buying eggs for Christmas. They may be bad. And the same is true about the nog.

The biggest pumpkin reported in our town this year was a farmer who bought some canned vegetables.

Talk about good luck. We know a man whose two daughters married one coal man and one plumber.

Couples who married last June are arguing about which will get up first these chilly mornings.

One great trouble with owning a flivver in winter is when you shiver your fenders rattle so.

The world, we often think, is a crossword puzzle. And those who can't work it say it is all wrong.

Wouldn't it be fine to be a fortune-teller and know who will give you what for Christmas?

Looks as if the backbone of summer is about broken.

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Is This Your Birthday

SATURDAY, DEC. 13.—Serious of mind, persons born this day are often of a literary mind and many are able to write exceptionally good poetry.

Always practical, it is only necessary to cultivate aggressiveness to secure happiness and success.

Women born this day will find their life mate early and will live many years in happiness and contentment.

SUNDAY, DEC. 14.—Determination is one of the most necessary requirements for success.

Persons born this day usually have this quality. However, they are always tender in their dealings with others and make and hold friends easily.

They have found that "fine feather" helps them in their business and they dress with care.

Success for them is only limited by their readiness to seize opportunities.

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:: The Tangle ::

LETTER FROM SYDNEY CARTON TO JOHN ALDEN PRESCOTT. CONTINUED

Of course, you know that Ruth and Walter Burke came up on the train and they got here this morning.

Poor Leslie wouldn't even see Ruth. I think you have broken her heart. Nobody mentions you, Jack, and I your friend feel that I am suffering some of the obloquy that rests upon your head.

The funeral services will be tomorrow. I have never yet seen hearts so torn as are Mrs. Hamilton's and Karl's.

Mrs. Hamilton allowed me to read the letter to her from Alice. It was not very long. It simply asked her mother to forgive her. Said she would not think of taking her life if she were not sure that by living she would do something that would make her mother more unhappy. She told her that she loved her better than she loved life itself. Consequently she was giving up life for her and Leslie and Karl.

I am doing everything I can. Not for your sake for I tell you honestly that it will be a long while before I believe that you haven't a streak of yellow running down your backbone.

I can not conceive that you, Jack, that I have known all my life could do the thing that you have done. If I were a woman every spark of love that I had for a man such as you would be burned up in hatred and shame for you.

As I said before, what are a thousand dollars beside the humiliation she is suffering? I confess I am at a loss when I think of it.

I will say this for your secretary, Mrs. Atherton. She has given her opinion of you in a few very forcible words. She took me aside last night and wanted to know why you had not come. She wanted to know if you were drunk, or were you also

going mad. Said she had always thought you had the "guts" to take things like a man and she believed that it was only selfishness on your part to get out of something that would be disagreeable to you. There is more to that woman than I thought, and I am beginning to like her very much.

Ruth Burke hasn't mentioned you since she arrived.

I am writing this letter in the library and I have just heard one of the servants announce to Mrs. Burke that Mr. Prescott wishes to see her.

If you take my advice you will hire another airplane and come over and retrieve yourself if possible.

Why is it that no grief, no sorrow, no joy, no pleasure—no experience in life—can be great enough not to be measured by money by the modern mercenary mind?

SYD.

A Thought

Whose boasts himself of a false gift is like clouds and wind without rain.—Prov. 25:14.

No more delay, vain boaster, but begin.—Dryden.

BUD MOTH RAVAGES

The bud moth, presumably a European insect, was first noted in the United States about 1841. It has become an important pest, now present over much of the northern part of the country and southern Canada. The species is rather a general feeder, attacking most of the fruit trees and some shade and forest trees.

The lady's slipper has been suggested as the national floral emblem.

EVERETT TRUE BY CONDO

NOW THOMPSON, JUST MAKE YOURSELF COMFORTABLE, AND I'LL GO AND TELL THE WIFE.



MY DEAR, I'VE BROUGHT A FRIEND OF MINE HOME WITH ME FOR DINNER, AND WE'RS AS HUNGRY AS A COUPLE OF ---



EXCUSE ME, BUT MY HUSBAND HAS JUST NOW INFORMED ME THAT HE INVITED YOU TO DINNER. I HAD ARRANGED ONLY FOR TWO, SO YOU AND I WILL EAT IN A VERY FEW MINUTES FROM NOW.



EASY MARKS FOR WALL STREET

By Albert Apple

Swindlers are getting their heads together. The stock market boom and business revival will soon be accompanied by another mushroom growth of bucket shops and fake stocks. New "sucker lists" are being prepared and old ones dusted off.

Such is the warning from legitimate brokers and other financial men.

Fraudulent stock promoters this year will take a billion dollars—1000 millions!—from the American people. This is the estimate by Henry L. Doherty, the investment banker. He says, "Americans are the most gullible investors of money in the world."

That's true. Being the most prosperous nation, we have more to invest—more for sound investments, more for fakes. People read about men making big cleanups in the stock markets, and others who became rich through fortunate small investments. Such things happen, occasionally. But for every one who really makes a big winning, thousands upon thousands lose out.

We don't recall who started the saying, "Nothing venture, nothing have." But it might very well have been a promoter of fake stocks, in one of his glowing circulars. "Nothing venture, nothing have" is cynicism. It is false more often than true. Usually the final result is "Something venture, nothing have."

A minority of men do "clean up" by seemingly taking chances. But they generally take their chances on reasonably sure things. Certainly they don't place their bets on wild-cat stocks that offer fabulous profits.

When fabulous profits are in sight with any degree of possibility, the general investment public doesn't get a look-see.

Money comes hard. It goes easy. The stock swindlers are setting traps. Wise men will invest warily, if at all, remembering the enormous number of victims of the stock swindling epidemics of the past.

IN NEW YORK

New York, Dec. 13.—This great paradox they call New York.

Once rich fields sloping to beautiful rivers. Now great piles of ugly stone dropping abruptly into waters stirred by a myriad of dirty craft.

Trees seem lonely. Sparrows with city habits the only birds. All life seems caged. Humans become moles, burrowing underground in filthy tunnels, coming up to the surface twice a day, only to scuttle into great staid built by other moles.

Everything runs on wheels and gears, grinding away from day to day. Grinding on from cradle to grave. Push the button and the cycle begins. Push a button and it stops.

Loneliness and aching in the constant striving. Striving for what? To live. And finding only existence. Work, the subway, restaurant that feeds with nickel-in-the-slot machines, the subway, an incandescent glare, an hour or two of drama before the dumb screen or before a cramped stage, the subway and its two-legged cattle again.

And on the other hand.

Beauty created by man that rivals that made by God. The towering Woolworth, its external like a cathedral, its internal like a beehive.

Lower Manhattan with its millions of firefly lights in the evening.

The opera, the concerts and their singers with the voices of angels.

Romance in the ships that lie in harbor, smelling of spice and hemp and the uttermost parts of the world calling and calling to adventure.

A bird's-eye view from an eminent building and the everlasting mystery of life going on in the ant hills below.

Sunset and the end of each street frames a picture more glorious than hand can paint.

And in the mist of night an aura over the city like the gate of eternity.

The real drama of oppressed peoples finding here freedom, growth and happiness. Genius cropping up in the tenements. Lilies in the mire.

The surging flow of life, pulsating, electric, all around and about.

The striving and the aching. Striving for what? To crowd into the one fleeting moment all that life can give. To see, to hear, to thrill to live to the limit while the living is good.

The crossroads of the world, with the world ever marching, marching by.

—JAMES W. DEAN.

FABLES ON HEALTH

STUDYING FOODS

Studying how and why foods affect the body as they do. Mr. Jones of Anytown found his second lesson to be concerned with the composition of foods.

Time has shown that certain materials are most useful as food. The subdivisions include proteins of different varieties, fat and carbohydrates or starches and sugars. To these we add water and the mineral salts and have the basis of all foods. But lately science has added vitamins to the list.

The first two are the "water and fat-solubles" so essential to body nutrition, while vitamin C is found in orange and lemon juices and, when they are lacking in diet, scurvy has been found to result.

Vitamins are bodies of unknown nature existing in certain foods and essential to nutrition. Their chemical nature is unknown so they have become designated as vitamin A, B, C, etc.

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The achievement foreshadows direct radio communication between any two parts of the globe, comments Hiram Percy Maxim, president of the American Radio Relay League.

"We can expect from now on that a world-wide system of private citizen radio communication will develop quickly," he adds.

The Torrey pine is restricted to the southern California coast.

INCORPORATIONS

Articles of incorporation filed with the Secretary of State include:

Belfield Oil Company, Belfield; capital stock \$25,000; incorporators, L. H. Stuck, Dickinson; H. O. Sample, G. G. Hoover, Glendive, Montana.

Killdeer Oil Co., Killdeer; capital stock \$25,000; incorporators, Frank Cleveland, Killdeer; H. O. Sample, G. G. Hoover, Glendive, Montana.

Kindred Hotel Co., Valley City; capital stock \$25,000; incorporators, C. H. Egan, W. J. Brust, H. J. Egan, Valley City.

When reallocation of wave lengths is begun, under recommendation of the recent radio conference, no two stations in the same zone or in neighboring zones will broadcast on the same wave length. In the same zone they will be at least 50 kilocycles apart, in neighboring zones, 20 kilocycles, and in removed zones 10 kilocycles.

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Social and Personal

Entertain For Miss Blumer

Last evening the Harris Hustlers entertained in the Methodist church parlors in honor of Miss Clara Blumer, for several years a member of the class. There were twenty present. During the earlier part of the evening the young ladies were merrily engaged in the tying of a pretty comfort for the bride-to-be.

A pleasant surprise of the evening occurred when the guests retired to a room, attired in Christmas decorations, and found their places at small tables. After the serving of delicious refreshments, the following program was rendered:

Vocal Solo: "Just a Wearyin' for you"—Miss Muriel Hart.

Reading: "The Judgment of Julia Ann"—Miss Mabel Nathan.

Vocal Solo: "I love you truly"—Mrs. A. S. Dale.

Presentation of gift to honor guest Mrs. Harvey Harris.

Response—Miss Blumer.

The Harris Hustlers, with Mrs. Harvey Harris in charge, lived up to their reputation as being good entertainers.

Athletic Association Hold Supper

The supper which was held at the high school gymnasium last evening under the auspices of the Athletic Association, was declared a success, three hundred and fifty being served.

Each class, the faculty and the alumni had tables which they decorated and operated. The seniors carried out a novel idea in their decorations, having two "kiddie cars" upon which were seated teddy bears at each end of the table, two dolls gracing the center of the table, with vari-colored streamers and lolly-pops to delight the heart of every senior. They also had a washline strung from one end of the table to the other upon which was hung the washing, presumably of each small senior.

The Juniors carried out the idea of Japan, having a large canopy, strung with Japanese lanterns, with a large Buddha idol in the center, and small incense burners at each individual place.

The Sophomores had their table decorated in keeping with the Christmas Season, having green and red streamers, and a snow scene, consisting of cabins set in snow banks with the reindeer sledge drawn up at the door.

The Freshmen had the tepees and other symbols of the native of our state. The faculty carried out the carnival idea with vari-colored balloons and streamers and the Alumni had large owls as decorations, probably signifying their wisdom.

A candy booth, with home-made candy was a source of much attraction. The high school orchestra furnished music during the dinner.

The Senior table won first on being the best decorated and the Sophomores second. The Juniors won first in selling the most number of tickets and the Seniors second. A picture was taken of the Senior table.

Pupils Appear In Recital

A large and appreciative audience was in attendance at the recital given by a group of Mrs. Elva L. Whitson's pupils, at the Elks rooms last evening. The young musicians showed the results of excellent training and pleased those who attended. Especially well received were two numbers given by two of the advanced members of Mrs. Whitson's class, Miss Aaberg and Miss Stabler, who rendered numbers by Cyril Scott, one of our modern composers.

JAMESTOWN ELECTS "WHO'S WHO"

It has become an annual custom for the students of Jamestown College to vote on "Who's Who," and the results have a great deal of significance in student life. This year each student voted for eight persons whom he considered outstanding for one or more reasons, without specifying the particular field of superiority. Among those who were chosen were several young people of this vicinity and Bismarck. They are as follows: Louise Huber, Bismarck; William Gerner, Mandan; Horace Headen, Wilton; Albert Peterson, Washburn; Harley Robertson, Minot.

WESTMINSTER GUILD TO MEET

The Westminster Guild of the Presbyterian Church will hold their regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening, December 16, at the Business and Professional Womens Club rooms. Community singing will open the program. Miss Flora Murray will have charge of the Devotionals and Miss Madge Runyon will review Chapters three and four of the book "China's Real Revolution," which is the book chosen for foreign study. There will be some business and all members and friends are asked to come and bring their Christmas sewing.

TO GIVE PLAY AT ST. MARY'S AUDITORIUM

Mrs. C. D. Durcena will present her dramatic art pupils in a play, Friday evening, December 19, the same evening as the band concert in the school auditorium. On Thursday evening, December 18, a free performance of the play will be given to the sisters of St. Mary's and sisters and nurses of the St. Alexius Hospital.

FORMER RESIDENT MARRIED

Mrs. Carrie E. Hoover, formerly a resident of Bismarck until two years ago when she left to make her home in San Diego, Cal., was married in Minneapolis, Minn., yesterday to Mr. A. Sundeen. The couple will make their home in Minneapolis.

WOMENS CLUB TO MEET

The Women's Club will meet with Mrs. H. F. Keller, 104 Avenue A, Monday afternoon at 2:30 instead of 3:00 o'clock.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS TO MEET

There will be a regular meeting of the Royal Neighbors, Monday evening, at 8 o'clock at Odd Fellows Hall.

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The Weather
Partly overcast and somewhat unsettled tonight and Sunday.

FOR HIS CHRISTMAS SEE

Bergeson's

Veil Comes Into Vogue After Several Years In the Discard



BY THERESE BONNEY
NEA Service Writer

Paris, Dec. 13.—Several seasons have passed by and the veil has had no vogue.

Bobbed hair and sports have been important as determining factors in bringing this about, but feminine whim has made it impossible to wholly abandon such an important accompaniment of charm.

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Last evening the Harris Hustlers entertained in the Methodist church parlors in honor of Miss Clara Blumer, for several years a member of the class. There were twenty present. During the earlier part of the evening the young ladies were merrily engaged in the tying of a pretty comfort for the bride-to-be.

A pleasant surprise of the evening occurred when the guests retired to a room, artistic in Christmas decorations, and found their places at small tables. After the serving of delicious refreshments, the following program was rendered:

Vocal Solo: "Just a Wearyin' for you"—Miss Muriel Hart.

Reading: "The Judgment of Julia Ann"—Miss Mabel Nathan.

Vocal Solo: "I love you truly"—Mrs. A. S. Dale.

Presentation of gift to honor guest—Mrs. Harvey Harris.

Response—Miss Blumer.

The Harris Hustlers, with Mrs. Harvey Harris in charge, lived up to their reputation as being good entertainers.

Pupils Appear In Recital

A large and appreciative audience was in attendance at the recital given by a group of Mrs. Elva L. Whitson's pupils, at the Elks rooms last evening. The young musicians showed the results of excellent training and pleased those who attended. Especially well received were two numbers given by two of the advanced members of Mrs. Whitson's class, Miss Ashberg and Miss Stabler, who rendered numbers by Cyril Scott, one of our modern composers.

JAMESTOWN ELECTS "WHO'S WHO"

It has become an annual custom for the students of Jamestown College to vote on "Who's Who", and the results have a great deal of significance in student life. This year each student voted for eight persons whom he considered outstanding for one or more reasons, without specifying the particular field of superiority. Among those who were chosen were several young people of this vicinity and Bismarck. They are as follows: Louise Huber, Bismarck; William Guener, Mandan; Horace Headen, Wilton; Albert Peterson, Washburn; Harley Robertson, Minot.

WESTMINSTER GUILD TO MEET

The Westminster Guild of the Presbyterian Church will hold their regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening, December 16, at the Business and Professional Womens Club rooms. Community singing will open the program. Miss Flora Murray will have charge of the Devotionals and Miss Madge Runey will review chapters three and four of the book "China's Real Revolution", which is the book chosen for foreign study. There will be some business and all members and friends are asked to come and bring their Christmas sewing.

TO GIVE PLAY AT ST. MARY'S AUDITORIUM

Mrs. C. D. Durssem will present the dramatic art pupils in a play, Friday evening, December 19, at the same evening as the band concert in the school auditorium. On Thursday evening, December 18, a free performance of the play will be given to the sisters of St. Mary's and sisters and nurses of the St. Alexius Hospital.

FORMER RESIDENT MARRIED

Mrs. Carrie E. Hoover, formerly a resident of Bismarck until two years ago when she left to make her home in San Diego, Cal., was married in Minneapolis, Minn., yesterday to Mr. A. Sundeen. The couple will make their home in Minneapolis.

WOMENS CLUB TO MEET

The Women's Club will meet with Mrs. H. F. Keller, 104 Avenue A, Monday afternoon at 2:30 instead of 3:00 o'clock.

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Athletic Association Hold Supper

The supper which was held at the high school gymnasium last evening under the auspices of the Athletic Association, was declared a success, three hundred and fifty being served.

Each class, the faculty and the alumni had tables which they decorated and operated. The seniors carried out a novel idea in their decorations, having two "kiddie cars" upon which were seated teddy bears at each end of the table, two dolls gracing the center of the table, with vari-colored streamers and lolly-pops to delight the heart of every senior. They also had a washline strung from one end of the table to the other upon which was hung the washing, presumably of each small senior.

The Juniors carried out the idea of Japan, having a large enclosure with Japanese lanterns and a large Buddha idol in the center, and small incense burners at each individual place.

The Sophomores had their table decorated in keeping with the Christmas Season, having green and red streamers, and a snow scene, consisting of cabins set in snow banks with the reindeer sledge drawn up at the door.

The Freshmen had the tepees and other symbols of the native of our state. The faculty carried out the carnival idea with vari-colored balloons and streamers and the Alumni had large owls as decorations, probably signifying their wisdom.

A candy booth, with home-made candy was a source of much attraction. The high school orchestra furnished music during the dinner.

The Senior table was first on being the best decorated and the Sophomores second. The Juniors won first in selling the most number of tickets and the Seniors second. A picture was taken of the Senior table.

ENTERTAIN PUPILS AT THEATRE PARTY

Five teachers of the Junior High School, Miss Huber, Miss Dinneen, Miss Haberman, Miss Matchie and Miss Jones, entertained their classes at a theatre party to see the picture "Abraham Lincoln" yesterday afternoon.

TO GIVE DANCE TONIGHT

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GOMPERS PASSES
Samuel Gompers was called "the grand old man of labor." He led the American Federation of Labor through many stormy periods in two score years as its head. He won many a political battle for control, and he dominated American labor's policy.
Gompers enjoyed the respect of many captains of industry, although often they felt they were inherently opposed to his position, or disagreed with him for other reasons. He led the American Federation of Labor into a great organization, and he did much to preserve it from the ill-attended labor movements in Europe.
Gompers believed essentially in the dignity of labor. He supported strikes, but he did not support murder or revolution. He believed in the craft system—a survival of the Guild system of olden days. He believed efficiency of organized labor was its greatest asset. He fought the Communism of Russia, and long opposed the movement for a labor party in this nation. Gompers held labor could be successful in politics in supporting friends of labor, and believed that labor should be free to go to Congress as any other interests or citizens and ask fair dealing. Gompers supported the war, both because he was a patriotic citizen and because he believed it was for the preservation of democracy.
The rise of Gompers from a poor boy in London to the head of a great organization, and to a position of power, is itself a dramatic achievement.
The passing of Gompers may mean a great change in the labor movement. Each year for the last several, except the most recent convention, he has fought the Communists, those who believed in a Labor party similar to that in Great Britain, and the "one big union" idea. Unless an outstanding figure rises to the head of labor with the same ideas of Gompers, many bitter struggles for a change in policy may be expected.

COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS
Good fellows are wanted to help distribute Christmas gifts in the less fortunate homes of the city. There are many needy this year as in 1923. Those who want to help in the way of Christmas donations or in giving personal service should communicate with Miss Mary Cashel who is in charge of the welfare work for this city. She can be reached at the Red Cross offices in the City National Bank building.
Through the operation of the registration bureau, duplication in giving has been largely eliminated. Professional beggars after charity have been detected and the lists drawn up for Christmas contain only the names of the most needy cases.
But there is another aspect to the Community Christmas which is being sponsored by the various organizations of the city, acting under the auspices of the Association of Commerce. It is planned to have a community celebration in which everyone can participate. Plans are maturing for a celebration in keeping with the holiday season.
The citizens should join in the affair heartily and through agency express a real Christmas spirit. There should be no lack of Good Fellows in Bismarck and no little heart should be disappointed. Just send a letter, care of Good Fellows, Association of Commerce, if you are afraid that Santa Claus will forget you on the eventful Christmas evening.
Through trained workers most families in need of aid have been ascertained and their wants investigated. For the list is not a very long one, but the committee in charge of the Community Celebration want to do a good job and ask the cooperation of all.

SLACKERS
Complete returns show that out of every 1000 citizens entitled to vote, 528 cast ballots for president this year. In 1920, the figure was only 491 out of 1000.
The gain is small. But it's far from discouraging. The vote has, at least, been turned. For 40 years the percentage of vote slackers increased steadily. A situation like that cannot be remedied in a few months of educational campaigning. The campaign must be continued steadily.

TATTOO
It's doubtful if any individual in history ever got Uncle Sam's goat in a petty way quite as much as the young fellow who has enlisted and deserted 41 times in army, navy or marine corps.
Officers are so riled at his elusiveness that every recruit station has a standing order to examine all applicants in hope of finding a tattooed cat on the left forearm. This is the champion deserter's "trade-mark." Telegraph news will tell you when he's caught—if.

DIAMONDS
Diamonds occasionally are found in glacial drift in our country. One as big as 17 karats was discovered in gravel while digging a well in Wisconsin.
These diamonds were brought down from somewhere in Canada, carried along in gravel accompanying glaciers of long ago. Geologists now are tracing the course of these glaciers. They expect to find the mother diamond mines up north.
Geologist is taking the place of the prospector in mining and oil.

Wouldn't it be nice if summer came every winter and winter came every summer?

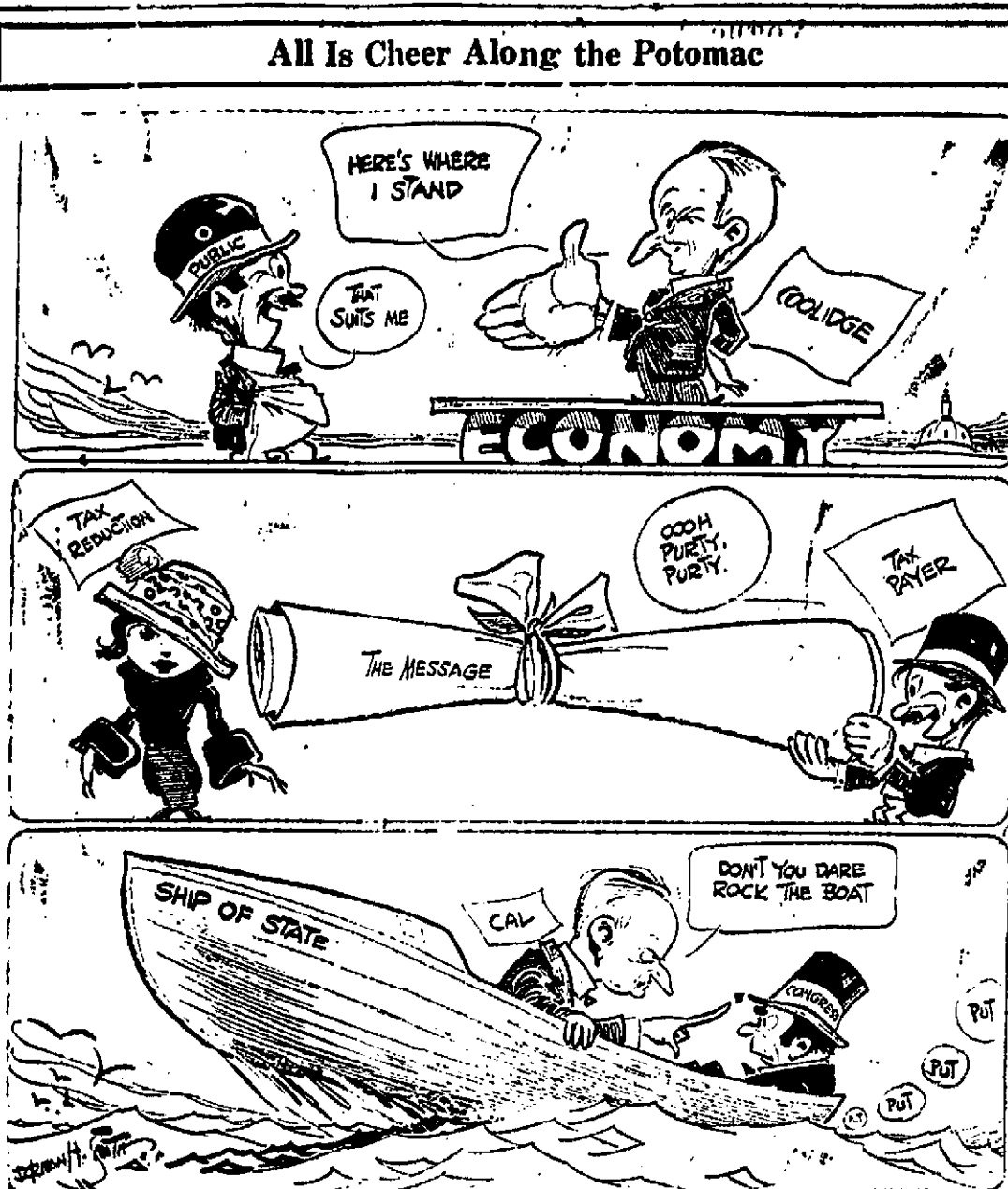
When it comes to bank rolls, "Roll you own," is a fine motto.

One thing some people save for a rainy day is rheumatism.

Editorial Review
Comments reproduced in this column are those of the opinion of The Tribune. They are presented here in order that our readers may have both sides of important issues which are being discussed in the press of the day.
AN OLD, OLD STORY
(Fargo Forum)
The other day Ben L. Salinger, Jr., the so-called "brains" of the \$8,000,000 Midland Packing Company of Iowa, which was presumably organized to give the farmers a better market, was found guilty on mail fraud charges in Federal Court and sentenced to four years in Leavenworth penitentiary.
While the Midland Company was organized on a much larger scale than many such organizations, still the tactics used in its organization were similar to the tactics used during recent years by many other so-called friends of the farmers in promoting companies "to give the farmers a better market."
In part the Midland story reads thus:
The Midland Packing Company was formed at Sioux City, Iowa, late in 1917. Beginning in 1918 the company employed a large staff of "high pressure" salesmen and sold nearly \$9,000,000 worth of stock.
In January, 1920, a plant costing \$2,500,000 began operations. Two months later it closed with an operating loss of \$200,000 and with debts of \$1,000,000.
Farmers of South Dakota are said to have lost \$3,000,000. Farmers of Iowa, Nebraska, North Dakota and Minnesota are reported to have lost smaller amounts.
It is an old, old story, but every so often the lesson has to be learned over again. And it is not the farmer alone who listens to smooth promoters, but the many manner of men who have been subjected to attempts at particular exploitation in recent years because of the agricultural depression.
But not this: When a better market did come, it came not through the medium of suave promoters, "high pressure" stock salesmen or political snake doctors, but through the law of supply and demand, backed by sane governmental effort to get the world on a sound economic basis.
If a better market is to continue, it will not continue through churning markets in search of theoretical Utopia, but because of sound government and sound domestic and world economic policies.

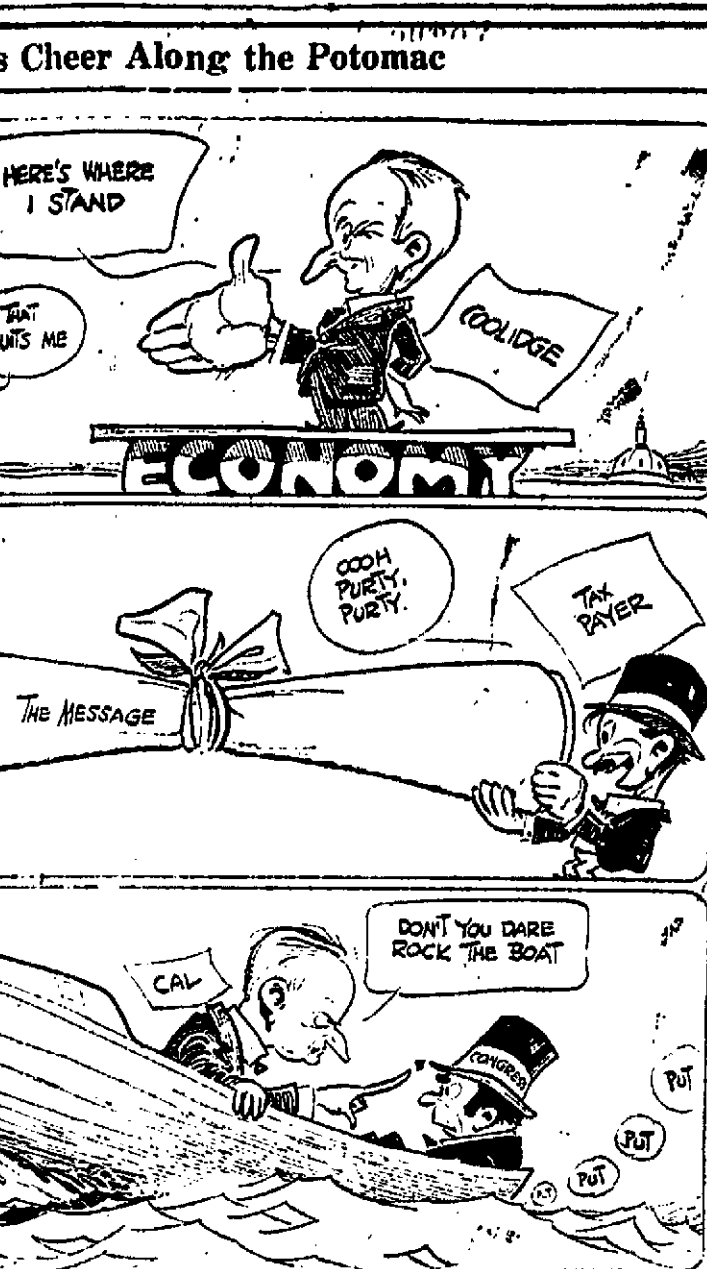
ADVENTURE OF THE TWINS
BY OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON
"Well, what's the next riddle?" asked Peter, Peter.
Nancy turned the page—and behold! There weren't any.
"That must be all," she said. "I didn't know they would be over so soon. That's too bad! We'll have to be going back home, now."
"Oh, don't!" begged Jill.
"Oh, please don't!" begged Jack.
"Indeed I just won't let you go," declared Mrs. Joan.
The twins really didn't know what to do. It was nice to be wanted, but at the same time they knew that if they stayed too long, they would be missed at home.
It was kind Daddy Gander who saw their trouble.
"I happen to know," said he, "that the Twins have to go home. They just have to. As I was passing their house on my magic dust-pan, I heard their mother say that she wished they wouldn't stay out so late to play. She thinks they are playing down in the meadow."
"Yes, and I have to go to the store tomorrow to get a new winter coat," said Nancy. "I get a new one every other year and this is my year to get one."
"What's that?" asked So Peep smoothing out her satin skirt and straightening the bow under her chin.
"A winter coat!" cried Nancy. "Don't you know? Well, when it gets very cold at home, and snows, children have to have warm coats to keep them from being nipped by Jack Frost."
"Who is he?" asked the Little Boy Who Lived in the Lane. "And what is snow?"
"Oh goodness sake!" cried Nick. "Don't you know anything! I should think your black-sheep would tell you all about Jack Frost and cold weather. That's what his wool is for, to make warm clothes."
"Tut! Tut!" said Mother Goose. "Don't be so hasty, little boy. I never snows in Mother Goose Land as it is really part of Fairyland. So that is why Mother Goose people do not know much about snow and cold weather."
Suddenly the Riddle Lady appeared. "I hurried back as soon as I could come," she said. "Are the riddles all over?"
"Yes," said Nancy. "They have all been read and they have all been guessed."
"That's fine," said the Riddle Lady. "I had a telegram about my chimneys and I just had to go."
"Chimneys!" cried the Twins. "What was wrong with them?"
"Oh, the Sweep got lost," said the Riddle Lady. "I have so many chimneys and flues in my house they are like a cross-word puzzle. So when the Sweep got lost cleaning them out, I had to go and see about it. I found him all right, however. He had gone to sleep at his work."
"If you are going home now, I'll take you," said Daddy Gander. "Jump on my magic dust-pan—you too, Twins, and I'll have you all home in no time."
After many good-byes—whiff! whuff! A short journey through the air and they were home.
(To Be Continued)
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Timber farming has not been profitable in the United States. Georgia has 310,732 farms.



Tom Sims Says
St. Louis news today. Man asked a policeman to shoot him. Maybe he believed what his wife said about him.
Christmas is coming in Chicago. Girl says she forgives a man who shot her in the ear.
Our selection, after much thought, of an All-America football team this season is Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus.
What means Christmas in four letters? No, it isn't "Xmas." Give up? Well, that's it. It is "give."
Had Utah news today. Car load of eggs broken in a train wreck. And the hens so busy trying to lay up some for Christmas.
Life, to a turkey, is just one darn holiday after another.
Christmas and Thanksgiving were put a month apart to give us all time to get hungry again.
Only four more shopping months before Easter. How time flies. And after Easter comes fly time. No hum.
Prosperity is coming back unless we start yelling and scree it away.
The only real relief for a bad cold seems to be cussing.
A very practical costume for the chilly nights is a stove trimmed with an easy chair and a book.
Be careful when buying eggs for Christmas. They may be bad. And the same is true about the noggs.
The biggest pumpkin reported in our town this year was a farmer who bought some canned vegetables.
Talk about good luck. We know a man whose two daughters married one coal man and one plumber.
Couples who married last June are arguing about which will get up first these chilly mornings.
One great trouble with owning a silver in winter is when you shiver your fenders rattle so.
The world, we often think, is a cross-word puzzle. And those who can't work it say it is all wrong.
Wouldn't it be fine to be a fortune-teller and know who will give you what for Christmas?
Looks as if the backbone of summer is about broken.
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Is This Your Birthday
SATURDAY, DEC. 13.—Serious of mind, persons born this day are often of a literary mind and many are able to write exceptionally good poetry.
Always practical, it is only necessary to cultivate aggressiveness to secure happiness and success.
Women born this day will find their life mate early and will live many years in happiness and contentment.
SUNDAY, DEC. 14.—Determination is one of the most necessary requirements for success.
Persons born this day usually have this quality. However, they are always tender in their dealings with others and make and bold friends easily.
They have found that "fine feather" helps them in their business and they dress with care.
Success for them is only limited by their readiness to seize opportunities.



A Thought
Whoso boasteth himself of a false gift is like clouds and wind without rain.—Prov. 25:14.
No more delay, vain boaster, but begin.—Dryden.
BUD MOTH RAVAGES
The bud moth, presumably a European insect, was first noted in the United States about 1841. It has become an important apple pest, now present over much of the northern part of the country and southern Canada. The species is rather a general feeder, attacking most of the fruit trees and some shade and forest trees.
The lady's slipper has been suggested as the national floral emblem.



EASY MARKS FOR WALL STREET
By Albert Apple
Swindlers are getting their heads together. The stock market boom and business revival will soon be accompanied by another mushroom growth of bucket shops and fake stocks. New "sucker lists" are being prepared and old ones dusted off.
Such is the warning from legitimate brokers and other financial men.
Fraudulent stock promoters this year will take a billion dollars—1000 millions!—from the American people. This is the estimate by Henry L. Doherty, the investment banker. He says, "Americans are the most gullible investors of money in the world."
That's true. Being the most prosperous nation, we have more to invest—more for sound investments, more for fakes. People read about men making big cleanups in the stock markets, and others who became rich through fortunate small investments. Such things happen, occasionally. But for every one who really makes a big winning, thousands upon thousands lose out.
We don't recall who started the saying, "Nothing venture, nothing have." But it might very well have been a promoter of fake stocks, in one of his glowing circulars. "Nothing venture, nothing have" is cynicism. It is false more often than true. Usually the final result is "Something venture, nothing have."
A minority of men do "clean up" by seemingly taking chances. But they generally take their chances on reasonably sure things. Certainly they don't place their bets on wild-cat stocks that offer fabulous profits.
When fabulous offers are in sight with any degree of possibility, the general investment public doesn't get a look-see.
Money comes hard. It goes easy. The stock swindlers are setting traps. Wise men will invest warily, if at all, remembering the enormous number of victims of the stock swindling epidemics of the past.

IN NEW YORK
New York, Dec. 13.—This great paradox they call New York. Once rich fields sloping to beautiful rivers. Now great piles of ugly stone dropping abruptly into waters stirred by a myriad of dirty craft. Trees seem lonely. Sparrows with city habits the only birds. All life seems caged. Humans become moles, burrowing underground in filthy tunnels, coming up to the surface twice a day, only to scuttie into great mounds built by other moles. Everything run on wheels and gears, grinding away from day to day. Grinding on from cradle to grave. Push the button and the cycle begins. Push a button and it stops. Loneliness and aching in the constant striving. Striving for what? To live. And finding only existence. Work, the subway, restaurant that feeds, with nickel-in-the-slot machines, the subway, an incandescent glare, an hour or two of drama before the dumb screen or before a cramped stage, and the subway and its two-legged cattle again. And on the other hand. Beauty created by man that rivals that made by God. The towering Woolworth, its external like a cathedral, its internal like a bee-hive. Lower Manhattan with its millions of fiery lights in the evening. The opera, the concerts and their singers with the voices of angels. Romance in the ships that lie in harbor, smelling of spice and hemp and the uttermost parts of the world calling and calling to adventure. A bird's-eye view from an eminent building and the everlasting mystery of life going on in the ant hills below. Sunset and the end of each street frames a picture more glorious than hand can paint. And in the mist of night an aura over the city like the gate of eternity. The real drama of oppressed peoples finding here freedom, growth and happiness. Genius cropping up in the tenements. Lilies in the mire. The surging flow of life pulsating, electric, all around and about. The striving and the aching. Striving for what? To crowd into the one fleeting moment all that life can give. To see, to hear, to thrill, to live to the limit while the living is good. The crossroads of the world, with the world ever marching, marching by. —JAMES W. DEAN.

FABLES ON HEALTH STUDYING FOODS
Studying how and why foods affect the body as they do. Mr. Jones of Anytown found his second lesson to be concerned with the composition of foods.
Time has shown that certain materials are most useful as food. The subdivisions include proteins of different varieties, fat and carbohydrates or starches and sugars. To these we add water and the mineral salts and have the basis of all foods. But lately science has added vitamins to the list.
Vitamins are bodies of unknown nature existing in certain foods and essential to nutrition. Their chemical nature is unknown so they have become designated as vitamin A, B, C etc.
The first two are the "water and fat solubles" so essential to body nutrition, while vitamin C is found in orange and lemon juices and when they are lacking in diet, scurvy has been found to result.

INCORPORATIONS Halfway Around The World
Articles of incorporation filed with the Secretary of State include:
Belfield Oil Company, Belfield; capital stock \$25,000; incorporators, L. H. Stuck, Dickinson; H. O. Sample, G. H. Hoover, Glendive, Montana.
Killdeer Oil Co., Killdeer; capital stock \$25,000; incorporators, Frank Cleveland, Killdeer; H. O. Sample, G. H. Hoover, Glendive, Montana.
Kindred Hotel Co., Valley City; capital stock \$25,000; incorporators, C. H. Egan, W. J. Brust, H. J. Egan, Valley City.
NO CONFUSION
When reallocation of wave lengths is begun, under recommendation of the recent radio conference, no two stations in the same zone or in neighboring zones will broadcast on the same wave length. In the same zone they will be at least 50 kilocycles apart, in neighboring zones, 20 kilocycles, and in removed zones 10 kilocycles.
By NEA Service
Hartford, Conn., Dec. 13.—Successful radio communication for a distance equal to almost halfway around the world is the culmination of a series of "records" piled up by amateurs the last few weeks.
The final record is that made between C. W. Goyer of London, Eng., and Frank D. Bell of Waiheke, New Zealand, when they talked to each other over a stretch of 11,800 miles.
The achievement foreshadows direct radio communication between any two parts of the globe, comments Hiram Percy Maxim, president of the American Radio Relay League.
"We can expect from now on that a world-wide system of private citizen radio communication will develop quickly," he adds.
The Torrey pine is restricted to the southern California coast.



Sports

ARMS BROKEN IN CAGE GAME

Mandan Youth Suffers Injuries in Fall

The first basketball injury in this section, reported this year, occurred in Mandan last night.

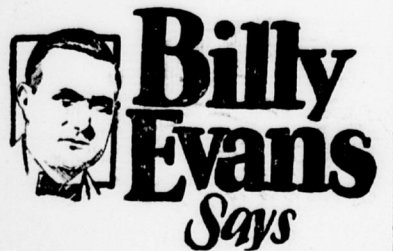
In a game between the Eighth Grade and Freshmen of Mandan schools last night, Frank Schoenman, 13, suffered both arms and his forearm broken when he tripped and fell over another player when he tripped and snatched over another player on the gymnasium floor.

FONDNESS FOR HIGHBALLS IS BIG HANDICAP

By NEA Service

New York, Dec. 13.—The tour of John McGraw and his New York Giants to foreign ports was a greater flop than the world series showing. However, as far as can be learned there was no scandal connected with the trip. The players did not share in the receipts.

The manager of the Giants says a too great fondness for highballs, in foreign countries is a handicap to baseball popularity.



Billy Evans Says

While Coach Knute Rockne isn't claiming any football titles, the experts have conceded that his Notre Dame team is champion of the universe.

Rockne's proteges have gone through a tough season without the blench of a defeat. It is doubtful if ever a college team faced a harder schedule than the 1924 itinerary of the Fighting Irish.

A majority of the games were played away from home and the leading teams from every section of the country were met.

While the regular schedule of Notre Dame has been completed, perhaps the biggest test of the season awaits them. Stanford is to be met Jan. 1 in the feature game of the Tournament of Roses.

It is football history that playing under coast climatic conditions an eastern team is at a decided handicap. Coaches of eastern teams that have played coast games say the players are only 75 per cent efficient.

In a season that has been replete with form reversals, it would occasion no great surprise if Stanford further upset the done.

Knute Rockne has said that a team must be keyed up to the highest pitch to do its best work on the gridiron. He also says it is practically an impossibility to keep up the emotions after a big game.

It is precedent that a team lets down after reaching top form. Perhaps Rockne's theories explain why Princeton, a team that looked like a world-beater against Harvard, was just ordinary against Yale.

Rockne explains the unusual success of his 1924 team by saying the players regarded every game on the schedule as the high spot, all the same, just a day's work.

It will be a meeting of the masterminds of football when Notre Dame, coached by Rockne, meets Stanford, directed by the resourceful Warner.

These two great coaches have been the brains back of much that is worth while in football. Many of the innovations that have been introduced into the game are credited to Rockne and Warner.

Warner, in his first year at Stanford, has met marked success. His team is generally credited with being the Pacific coast champions, although the title is a bit shrouded.

Both California, last year's titleholder, and Stanford have a clean slate. In most sports a champion is a champion until he is beaten. California has been tied but not beaten.

As a matter of fact, the awarding of the title by the experts to California is based on the fact that California was twice tied, while Stanford only once, by California.

Then there is the question about the eligibility of Cleveland, Stanford's star. It is alleged he has played more than the regulation three years.

The coast championship may not be definitely settled until the meeting of the Coast Conference. However, if Stanford beats Notre Dame the coast will have the right to make a noise like champions.

McGraw's next baseball tour will extend to Brazil where his lefthanders will be right at home with the other nuts.

Jack Sharkey clouted a New York referee on the chin because he didn't like the decision. This is so much nicer than growing abusive.

The crossword puzzle craze isn't likely to handicap ball players in the spring camps. One must

RUTH IS ALSO CHAMPION WITH PEN

When Not Hitting Home Runs, Babe Throws A Mean Signature



Babe Ruth's favorite diversion, autographing baseballs. A conservative estimate is ten thousand are given away each year as souvenirs.

BY BILLY EVANS
Hitting home runs is Babe Ruth's first duty to the public.

Fandom gets a greater thrill out of a Ruthian home run than other circuit swats.

A lazy fly ball that just manages to clear the fence, if propelled by Ruth, is far more thrilling to the baseball fan than a terrific drive by a personage of less fame.

It's cruel but true that Babe Ruth home runs have a distinctive appeal. No doubt because he was the originator of the home-run idea on a large scale.

When not busy swatting the ball further than any other human being ever hit it, Ruth is catering to the public in another direction.

Autographing baseballs might be classed as a Ruth sideline.

Ruth Great Showman
The Babe is a great showman. He appreciates the value of publicity. He realizes his signature on a baseball makes a friend, is good advertising for the game. As a result he is never too busy to oblige.

All of which brings us to the crux of our story. How many Babe Ruth autographed baseballs are given away every year?

A very conservative estimate would be 10,000. In all probability it is many times that figure.

Every major league player and umpire receives at least 10 requests to know how to spell in order to work the things.

Dempsie has been asked to fight on the coast. It is probably true, then, that Mabel Normand has retired.

While it may be true Ty Cobb has revolutionized the game, the records show fans in St. Louis still throw pop bottles.

Walter Camp did not see any of the Big Three games this year. Walter wanted to be sure he'd enjoy this football season.

We don't know what's holding up the Benny Leonard-Mickey Walker fight. Maybe Benny can't make the welterweight limit!

More than \$2,000,000 was spent for ball players last season, if you want to know where all the ivory in this country is going to.

Suggestion to golf writers: Why not refer to Bobby Jones as the stylist of the links?

The wicked fee when no man pursues. This is just another way of saying that a cop is never around when he ought to be.

Goslin drove in more runs than any player in this League. It is plain the goose is no quack.

Johnny Evers of the Chicago White Sox is one manager in danger of losing his job.

"Choppy" Rhodes is the star of this year's Nebraska team. He's a fast running, hard-to-tackle half-back. He also dabbles in basketball and track.

Branch Rickey says Jim Bottomly is the best first sacker in the majors. Rickey should know; he developed him.

"Stuffy" McInnis continues to play a good first base for the Boston Braves, despite his slowness of foot.

Paul H. Jamison, Virginia golf champion, with a 72 recently won

has vacation this year on account of being two weeks behind.

Mrs. Leon Leshar was quite sick for a few days last week but is much improved now.

Miss Louise Feyerheisen is working at the Ed Boynton home now.

Millie Meher was absent from school Tuesday on account of sickness.

Mrs. S. B. Gooding and baby son Oscar were visitors at the Olaf Feeheim home Monday.

A number of people are being vaccinated for small pox as there are a few cases reported around Wing and Bismarck.

The L. M. Doerschlag and Vie and Long stores have a very good supply of Christmas goods in.

Dorothy Swenson was absent from school Monday and Tuesday on account of sickness.

CLEAR LAKE
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shaffer spent Friday shopping and visiting at Steele.

Christ Schoon was happily surprised last Saturday evening when a host of friends gathered at his home to help him celebrate a birthday anniversary. The evening was carried out by games of cards and dancing when at midnight a delicate luncheon was served.

A skating party was held on Clear Lake last Saturday evening by a group of young people. Skating was carried out until midnight when all present gathered at Clear Lake School No. 1 where delicious refreshments were awaiting for a hungry appetite, after lunch more games were played until the early hours when all present declared a very enjoyable time was spent.

Miss Caroline Schoon had as her guest the first of the week, Miss Carol Nelson.

George Carlson spent the week end at the capital city.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Christensen and Miss Myrtle spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Van Vleet.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hogstad announce the birth of a baby boy, Mrs. Hogstad is staying at the Hiram Begeman home in Steele.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Newland had as their company on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Hansen, Misses Caroline Schoon and Charles Nelson.

Miss Hazel Nelson spent several days at the home of her brother Clifford Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Christensen have as their guest Elder Dirksen of Bismarck.

Mrs. George Carlson and children and Mrs. Kruger autored to Regan where they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Carlson.

Little Bobby Beyer who has been a patient at the Bismarck hospital for the past four weeks is able to be discharged today.

Clarence Irvin is the name given by Mr. and Mrs. Ole Newland for their infant son.

Another case of measles is in our vicinity at the Ed Schmidkunz home.

Mrs. Tom Olson called on Mrs. L. B. Olson on Wednesday.

Ernest and Caroline Schoon expect to leave this evening Monday for a visit in South Dakota.

Clarence Syverson, accompanied by his brother Selmer autored to Bismarck on Tuesday, where the former had his fractured foot treated.

BALDWIN
Mr. and Mrs. Albin Nordstrom pleasantly entertained a number of dinner guests at their home Sunday.

These present were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eliason and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Hansen and family and Messrs. Ervin Kvale and Ervin Austed, all of Bismarck. Messrs. Kvale and Austed whose homes are at Ryder in this city, are students at the Bismarck Business College.

Miss Lila Little, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Little also spent Sunday at the Nordstrom home.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kikil have returned from a week's visit at Clearbrook, Minnesota where they were guests over Thanksgiving at the Claus Garmer home, John Rupp, who left about the same time for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. Garmer has not yet returned.

Miss Mabel Mell was a passenger on the bus Saturday for Bismarck where she visited over Sunday with friends.

Miss Estelle Pierce, high school teacher has been on the sick list the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Monroe visited with Baldwin relatives Sunday.

Miss Lucille Delong missed school the past week on account of sickness.

Some remodeling work is being done to the portion of the school building used by the high school.

Lester Schornert was a guest at the home of his former teacher Mrs. Arthur Lenihan Saturday.

Fred Wood plans on leaving soon for a visit to his old home in Pennsylvania.

H. G. Higgins was looking after the McGillis farm just south of town.

A number of local folks have been vaccinated lately owing to the prevalence of small pox. It is planned to have the whole school vaccinated as a preventative measure, it is said.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rupp and son Richard and daughter Frances spent Thursday in the capital city doing some fall shopping.

Merl White is fixing up his livery barn preparatory to again resuming the livery business during the winter.

C. L. Bryan, piano tuner of Mandan was in this locality Tuesday looking after business affairs and tuning pianos of those that needed it.

The Lahr farm east of town has a new tenant who moved from near Bismarck the latter part of the week.

Fred Sabot spent part of the past week in Bismarck looking after business matters.

Richard Borner was a caller at the Andrew Larson and Ed. Morris home in Cromwell township Thursday afternoon.

H. G. Higgins was looking after business matters pertaining to the bank the fore part of the week.

Mrs. George Swick who has been confined to her home with illness the past week is reported as some improved.

Mrs. Merl White who has been in feeble health for some time remains about the same.

Fred Schroeder who has been serving on the jury at Bismarck spent the week end at his home returning to the capital city early in the week.

The Baldwin school is busy preparing for the Christmas entertainment it plans on giving.

Mrs. William Bement and little daughter Barbara arrived recently from their home at Regan for a visit with relatives in and around Baldwin. Mr. Bement who was formerly assistant cashier in the Baldwin State Bank is now occupying a similar position in the Regan bank.

Hugh McCullough well known business man of Washburn visited here last week enroute home from the capital city.

The eighth grade final examination is going on this week. During the time the older pupils are taking this examination the students of the lower grades in Miss Mell's department are having a vacation.

His WISH TO
DIE ON HOME
SOIL GRANTED

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here yesterday a great throng gathered to have a peek at the sick man.

Gompers' body will lie in state at an undertaking parlor tonight until it is taken to a train today for its last journey east. Labor leaders will be named pall-bearers to carry the body to the station. A detail of policemen will serve as a guard of honor. Major John Tobin of San Antonio, in a proclamation, called upon the city to pay a tribute to the late labor leader.

Stair Climb Exhausted Him
According to C. E. Idar of San Antonio, organizer for the American Federation of Labor, Mr. Gompers' final acute illness came following a walk up a long flight of stairs to the Mexican national palace to attend the inauguration of President Calles a week ago last Tuesday.

When Gompers reached the last step exhausted he explained: "I do not mind climbing these stairs but I do not want to climb the golden stairs just yet."

Mr. Gompers is survived by three sons and his widow. The sons are: Albert Gompers of New York, Henry Gompers of Washington and Samuel Gompers Jr., choice clerk in the Department of Labor, Washington.

Mrs. Gompers resides at the family home in Washington.

BODY LEAVES TONIGHT
San Antonio, Dec. 13.—The body of Mr. Gompers is to leave here over the Missouri, Kansas and Texas at 11 p. m. The train will reach Fort Worth at 7:45 Monday morning. It will then proceed to Washington, by way of St. Louis arriving in the national capital at 2:45 p. m. Tuesday. There will be 16 stops on the way.

Gompers, Dean of
American Labor,
Had Noted Rise

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special car in the railroad yards labor parleys in London, Paris, and Amsterdam.

Before the United States entered the labor movement was in the hands of comparatively small, individual unions, in the various states, working without much real cooperation.

By forming the Federation, he welded the entire movement into a nation-wide, compact unit which grew to be a power in the political, commercial and industrial life of the country.

Among the laws Gompers framed, supported, or originated, were: the eight hour law for government employees; the various state laws fixing hours of labor; laws establishing Labor Day as the workmen's holiday; the Federal Workmen's compensation law; the law limiting the use of injunctions in labor disputes; the law exempting labor unions from prosecution as combinations.

He was affiliated with the Society for Ethical Culture of New York City, established in 1867 by Felix Adler, and in addition to the American Federation of Labor he remained an active member of the Cigar Makers International Union. He also belonged to the Free and Accepted Masons, the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks and the Home Club.

He was the author of numerous small pamphlets in the nature of tracks on labor questions, wrote a book on the world labor movement and edited the "American Federationist," the official organ of the American Federation.

Throughout his career, Mr. Gompers refused to become identified with any political party, taking the position that he could be of more service to the cause of labor by holding himself aloof from identification with any single political organization.

He married Sophia Julian, of New York, and their family consisted of three sons and a daughter.

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Choir practice on Sunday at 5 p. m. Wednesday, Friday and Saturday are Ember Days.

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First Presbyterian Church
Rev. H. C. Postlethwaite, D. D., Minister.
Morning service at 10:30. Theme: "The Greatest Opportunity."
Anthem, "The King of Love My Shepherd Is" (Shelley); anthem, "I Am Alpha and Omega" (Stainer).
Junior Sunday school at 9:30. Other departments at 12 m. Men's class in their room.

The Christian Endeavor will meet at 6:30. Subject, "Count and Share Your Blessings."
Evening service at 7:30. Theme: "The Touch of Faith." Special music, anthem, "Hear Me O Lord" (Stults). Anthem, "I Heard the Voice of Jesus" (Carrie B. Adams).
Monday evening at 7:30 Girls' service.

Junior Christian Endeavor Wednesday at 4:15. Prayer meeting at 7:30.
The Missionary Society will meet Thursday at 2:30.
All are cordially invited to the services of the church.

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Sunday school at 10 o'clock.
Prayer meeting on request.
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WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. Mrs. Eugene Wachter. Phone 180.

WANTED—Competent maid for general housework. Call 802-A, B.

AGENTS WANTED

\$10,000,000 COMPANY wants man to sell Watkins Home necessities in Bismarck. More than 150 used daily. Income \$35-\$50 weekly. Experience unnecessary. Write Dept. H-4, The J. R. Watkins Company, Winona, Minn.

AGENTS—Write for Free Samples. Sell Madison "Ester-Mell" Shirts for large Manufacturer direct to wearer. No capital or experience required. Many earn \$100 weekly and bonus. Madison Mills 655 Broadway, New York.

POSITION WANTED

WANTED—Position in store or general work. Write Tribune No. 884.

ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms to be used as light housekeeping or sleeping rooms. Phone 1066, 46 Main St.

FOR RENT—Large well furnished room in modern home, with board. Hot water heat, suitable for two. Call 883, 217 8th St.

FOR RENT—Three room apartment, including bath, in modern house. Call M. A. Edberg, 803-7th St.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room for light housekeeping on first floor, 411 5th St. Phone 273.

FOR RENT—A warm well furnished room in modern home, on car line. 811 4th St. Phone 175.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for housekeeping in modern house. Call 640M after 4 p. m.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 319 2nd St. Phone 360-M.

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms, also sleeping room on first floor. Call 503-W.

FOR SALE OR RENT

FOR SALE BY OWNER—House, 6 rooms and bath, splendid condition, maple floors throughout, hardwood trim, fire-place, screened porch, garage, lawn and trees. Located in select residence section. Priced for quick sale. Terms. No. 888, care of Tribune.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Newly painted and redecorated 7 room modern home with hot air furnace and garage. Inside lot on pavement. Price \$4500.00. Terms reasonable. Inquire of H. F. O'Hare, Little Bldg., Bismarck, N. D.

FOR RENT—Modern six room house, convenient to Capitol. Occupancy before January 1st. Also household furniture for sale. Phone 601-M, 617-8th St.

FOR RENT—All modern house, 3 large rooms, full basement and garage in connection. \$25.00 per month. Call at 717 9th St. or phone 603J.

FOR RENT—Seven room modern house, partly furnished. Close in. Call 735W between 5 and 7 P. M.

MODERN apartment, also partly furnished housekeeping room. Phone 183, Business College.

FOR RENT—Strictly modern apartment in Rose Apartments. Apply P. W. Murphy, Phone 632.

FOR RENT—Small modern cottage at 309-7th St. Inquire within.

FOR RENT—Six room modern house, 718 Mandan Ave., Phone 62.

FOR RENT—Five room house, Jan. 1st. Apply Mrs. S. E. Nickleby, 217 South 2nd St.

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3 insertions, 25 words or under 75
1 week, 25 words or under 1.25
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THE BISMARCK TRIBUNE
PHONE 32

WORK WANTED

WANTED—Work by High School boy after school, Saturdays and before school in morning. Would do odd jobs, errands and tend furnace. Phone 682.

SALESMAN

SALESMEN WANTED—Why not sell Calendars and Advertising Novelties? If you can make yourself fit our standard we want you. An opportunity to earn a handsome income, save money and give your family advantages. You go into business for yourself. If you are just looking for another job don't bother to write us. SENTINEL PRINTING COMPANY, Indianapolis, Indiana.

DRY GOODS Salesmen Attention covering small town retail stores; sell importers line, laces and ladies neckwear; side line. Good commissions; state experience, reference. Moser Co., 874 Broadway, New York.

MISCELLANEOUS

FULLER BRUSHES for Christmas gifts. Until Dec. 15, I will make special calls day or evenings to show our suggestions for Christmas gifts. Phone 392 for appointment. F. H. Everts.

MUST SELL AT ONCE—One tractor and gang, one Van Buren double disc press drill, one two row corn lister, one Deering header. All in working order. \$400.00 will take it all if taken at once. J. M. Burch, Box 13, Bismarck.

FOR SALE—Standard Bred Giant Mammoth Foulouze Gess and White Pekin ducks. Both took first prize at the McLean County Poultry show the last two years. Mrs. Otto Snyder, Underwood, N. Dak.

FOR SALE—Two loose leaf ledgers with 600 sheets and transfer binders, one child's folding bed, large size 32 to 42. One Anco kodak, one 25 automatic pistol. Call 318 Mandan Ave. or phone 1094-M.

MINERAL RODS for locating gold, silver and other valuable metals and minerals on three days trial. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Write T. D. Robinson, Box 87, Elgin, Texas.

SNOKE—Commercial Club cigar, little Billy's cigar. Cigar of Quality, same as first class workmanship. Manufactured by W. F. Erlenneyer, 423 Third Street, Bismarck, N. D.

STRAYED—Grey mare weight 1400; Bay mare weight 1500, both branded on left thigh. Black Gelding weight 1000, branded NL on shoulder. Ray Breen.

BUY your Christmas popcorn, 5¢ shelled, on cob 5¢; while beans 8¢ or 75¢ per 100 lbs., speckled beans 100 lbs., sacked. This year's crop. Chas. Kratz, Baldwin, N. D.

FLOUR MILL FOR SALE—80 bbl. steam power, if you are looking for a bargain here is one, \$2000 will do it if taken soon. Address, E. M. Nelson, Clarissa, Minn.

FOR SALE—German Police puppets. Sire imported trained dog. Dam from imported parents. Reasonable if taken at once. J. A. Knobel, Berlin, N. Dak.

FOR SALE—Choice Barred Plymouth Rock Cockerels and Pullets, from fine laying strain. W. A. Falconer, 203 Avenue E. Bismarck, North Dakota.

FOR SALE—Bakery, confectionery and restaurant business for sale in live town doing good business, possession at once. Address Tribune 888.

FOR SALE—One Hand Power Elevator in good repair. Platform 5 by 6 feet. Gamble Robinson Fruit Co.

FOR SALE—Poland China Boat, also one Registered Shortborn Bull. Write or call E. L. Hurr, Sterling, N. D.

FOR SALE—Karpfen Davenport and bed complete. Call at 1020-5th St. between 9 and 12 a. m. Phone 230-M.

Railway Postal Clerks \$133 month, railroad pass. Send stamp for free question. Columbus Institute, B-10, Columbus, Ohio.

FOR SALE—Choice canary singers and German Rollers. Write Jacob Bull, Box 728, Dickinson, N. D.

FOR SALE—5 full blood Rhode Island Red cockerels. Phone 840.

FOR RENT—First class garage, 631 7th St. Phone 682 or 1072.

DRESSMAKING

DRESSMAKING and remodeling done at reasonable prices. Phone 503-W. 38 Rosser St.

MUSIC SCHOOL

Alph. Lampe, Dir. Instruction in Violin, Voice and Piano. First class lessons at most reasonable rates. Call at 611 First Street or Phone 1017.

MARKET NEWS

Wire Markets by Associated Press

Hog Receipts Record Broken

So. St. Paul, Dec. 13.—With the arrival of 145,200 hogs in the local yards this week, a new record for any one week was established this morning. The record which this week's arrivals eclipsed, was made the second week of last January when 135,133 hogs arrived.

ST. PAUL LIVESTOCK

So. St. Paul, Dec. 13.—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Cattle receipts 1,000. Compared with week ago in-between grades fat steers and the stock 25 to 50 cents or more lower. Better grades fed offerings and desirable hinds beef heifers steady to 25 cents lower. Canners, cutters and hologna bulls 15 to 25 cents lower; former off most. Stockers and feeders 25 cents off.

Calves receipts 200. Week's bulk prices 4.00 to 8.00. Hog receipts 5,000. Steady. Butcher 190 to 22-pound steady \$9.10. Top \$9.25.

Bulk 120 to 180 pound weights \$8.25 to \$8.50. Packing sows 8.25 to 8.50. Feeder pigs around 25 cents lower. Week's receipts of 145,200, new one week record this market.

Sheep receipts 200. Compared with week ago, fat lambs 50 to 75 cents higher. Sheep steady to 25 cents higher. Week's prices top-fed lambs 15.25, Bulk 15.25 to 15.50. Bulk native, 14.75 to 15.00. Heavy lambs 10.50 to 13.00. Top fat ewes 8.25. Bulk 6.50 to 8.25. Feeding lambs 25 to 50 cents higher, bulk 13.75 to 14.50.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

Chicago, Dec. 13.—Cattle receipts 1,000. Compared with week ago, meager supply choice yearlings and handyweight steers steady. Prices at close lowest of season.

Hog receipts 13,000. Mostly steady to strong. Few heavy butchers unevenly higher. Top \$10.05. Sheep receipts 3,000. Today's market steady. Choice heavyweight lambs \$16.00. Shippers \$13.00.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN

Minneapolis, Dec. 13.—Receipts 248 cars compared to 347 a year ago. Cash No. 1 northern \$1.02 1/2 to \$1.05. No. 1 dark northern spring to fancy \$1.02 1/2 to \$1.05; good to choice \$1.02 1/2 to \$1.05; ordinary to good \$1.02 1/2 to \$1.05; No. 1 hard spring \$1.04 1/2 to \$1.05; No. 1 dark hard Montana on track \$1.04 1/2 to \$1.05; to arrive \$1.04 1/2 to \$1.05.

Corn No. 3 yellow, \$1.22 to \$1.25; oats No. 3 white, 55¢; barley 7¢ to 8¢; rye No. 2, \$1.30 1/2 to 1.32; No. 1, \$2.80 1/2 to \$2.85.

BISMARCK GRAIN

(Furnished by Russell-Miller Co.)

No. 1 dark northern \$1.49
No. 1 northern spring 1.43
No. 1 amber durum 1.42
No. 1 mixed durum 1.32
No. 1 red durum 1.27
No. 1 flax 2.02
No. 2 flax 2.07
No. 1 rye 1.11
Dard Hard Winter 1.43
Hard Winter 1.41

We quote, but do not handle the following:
Oats \$.45
Barley 90
Speltz, per car 50

SHELL CORN

Yellow White & Mixed
No. 4 \$.97
No. 5 92
No. 6 86
1 cent per pound discount under 55 lb. Ear corn 5 cents under shell.

New shelled corn (sample grade) .78
New Ear corn (80 lbs. Minn.) (Sample grade) .71

MINNEAPOLIS FLOUR

Minneapolis, Dec. 13.—Flour 10c to 25c higher. In carload lots, family patents quoted at \$8.75 to \$8.85 a barrel to 98-pound cotton sacks. Shipments 87,244 barrels. Bran \$31.00.

CONSERVE FERTILITY

Conserve fertility through the different demands of root systems of different crops is one of the advantages of crop rotation. This intermittent use of fertility permits recuperation of the soil after the crops that make heavy demands.

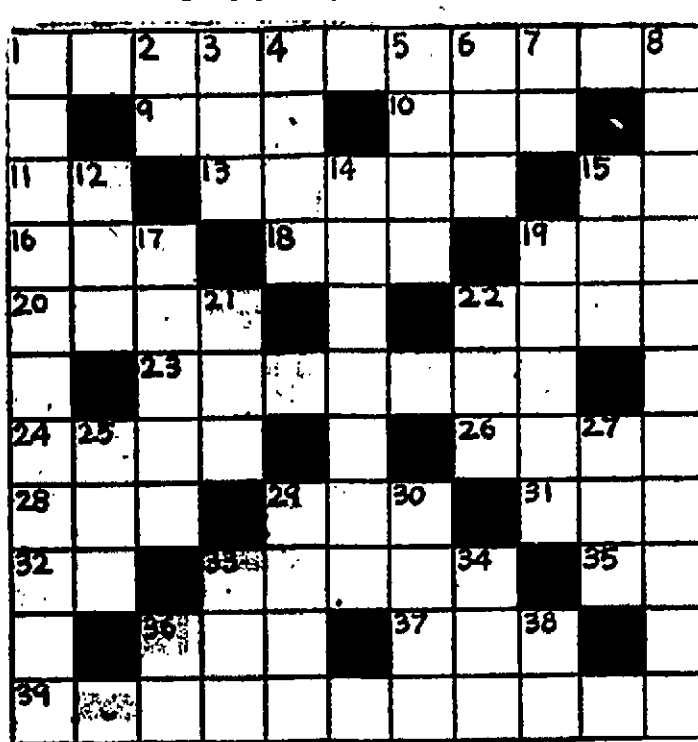
CONSTIPATION OVERCOME

The use of FOLEY CATHARTIC TABLETS will bring speedy relief from constipation if taken promptly. They are purely vegetable and act on the liver. Mr. John D. McCombs, Lucas Co. Home, Toledo, Ohio, writes: "Have used FOLEY CATHARTIC TABLETS in severe cases of constipation to which I am subject and found them beneficial." FOLEY CATHARTIC TABLETS are easy to take, leave no unpleasant after effects. Try them.

DOUBLE NECKLACES

London, Dec. 13.—"Black and front" necklaces are the newest ornaments for evening wear. Usually composed of glass beads, they are one color in front and another in back. These double-necklaces are draped into fantastic shapes and always hang completely down to the waist.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



Attack this puzzle not with 8 vertical. It's a good one, with both central and marginal interest.

HORIZONTAL

- The act of taking away.
- Atmosphere.
- Sickly.
- Not yes.
- Archbishop's crown.
- Upon.
- Unusual.
- Segment of a circle.
- Not more than.
- Twelfth of a foot.
- Oppose face to face.
- Salamander.
- Temper by heat.
- A tool for making holes in leather.
- The snake that got more publicity out of crossword puzzles than by biting Cleopatra.
- Spring.
- See what the dictionary says is the chemical symbol for tellurium.
- 39.37 inches.
- Half of an cm.
- Rowing instrument.
- Refreshing drink.
- Worthy of trust.

VERTICAL

- That part of a fraction below the line.
- Short for papa.
- Edge.
- The flag lily.
- Overcome by wonder.
- Applied with feathers.

FIRE ESCAPES

Bids are requested to supply and install two iron fire escapes at the City of Bismarck, according to plans and specifications as furnished by Van Horn & Ritterbush. Bids to be opened on Friday, December 10th at 3 o'clock p. m. at First Guaranty Bank. Privilege reserved to reject any or all bids.

By Order of Board of Education. RICHARD PEWARTEN, Clerk.

12-10-11-12-13-14-17

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA, County of Burleigh.

In County Court, before Hon. I. C. Davies, Judge.

In the Matter of the Estate of Carrie D. Taylor, deceased, as the same is known as the estate of Donnelly Taylor, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, J. L. Bell, Administrator of the Estate of Carrie D. Taylor, late of the city of Bismarck in the county of Burleigh, state of North Dakota, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within the time after the first publication of this notice, to said Administrator at his place of business, the 1st National Bank of Bismarck, N. Dak. situated at 322 Main Street in the city of Bismarck in the county of Burleigh, state of North Dakota.

Dated December 8th, A. D. 1932.

J. L. BELL, Administrator.

F. H. REGISTER, Attorney for Administrator.

Bismarck, North Dakota.

First publication on the 6th day of December, 1932.

12-6-12-20-27

SUMMONS

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA, County of Burleigh.

In District Court, Fourth Judicial District.

Mary Leberstetig, Plaintiff vs. Clifford Leberstetig, Defendant.

The State of North Dakota to the above named defendant:

You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action and to serve a copy of your answer upon the subscriber at his office in the City of Bismarck, County of Burleigh and State of North Dakota within thirty days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of service; and in case of your failure to appear or answer judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated at Bismarck, North Dakota this 18th day of August, 1932.

P. J. ENGSETH, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Hocking Block, Bismarck, North Dakota.

11-22-29-12-6-12-20-27

DECISION OF SUPREME COURT

From Burleigh County

Company "A" First Regiment North Dakota National Guard Training School, a corporation.

Plaintiff and Respondent.

vs.

Edmund A. Hughes, Defendant and Appellant.

SYLLABUS:

1. In an action in controversy, where the evidence goes to establish an original tortious taking of the property concerned it is not essential to make or prove a demand for a return of the property.

2. Where the evidence offered to sustain plaintiff's contention upon a question of fact in a case, is substantial, and is admitted, or is not disputed or controverted by substantial evidence in the case, and plaintiff's evidence and the inferences, if any, which fairly and reasonably may be drawn therefrom, point to but one conclusion, and is of such a character that fair and reasonable minds

of former years. People with radio sets didn't have to come downtown.

Vast Audience

"The greatest progress in radio in recent years is the 'inter-connection' developed during the past few months.

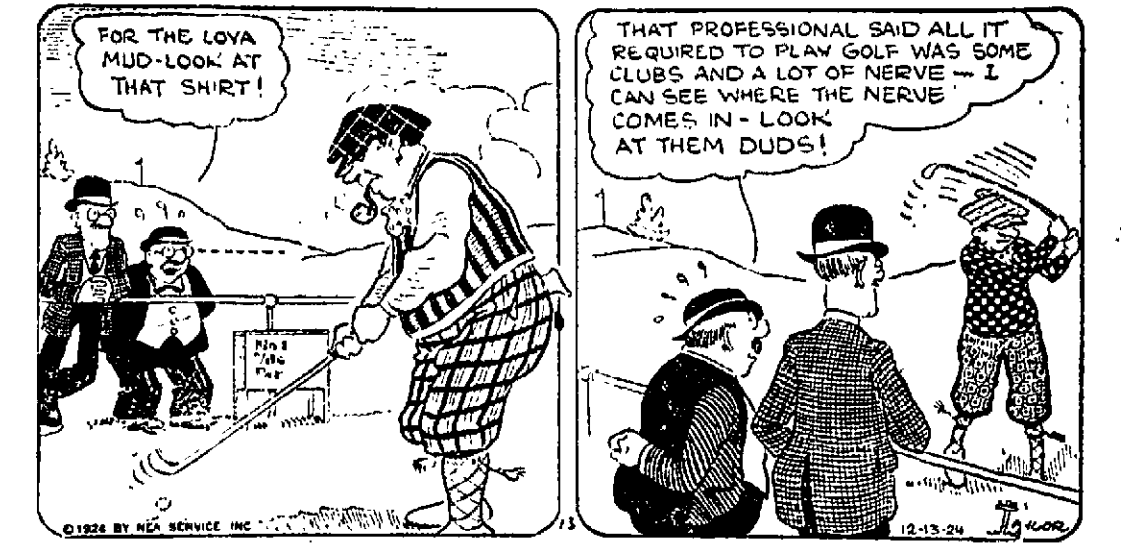
"An address is broadcast and reaches a certain audience. But it doesn't stop there. It is 'caught' by other stations, rebroadcast, and in this way reaches audiences all over the country.

"Before the days of radio a speaker's audience was estimated in hundreds. With the advent of radio it was estimated in thousands. Now, with the 'inter-connection' system, it is estimated in millions.

READ TRIBUNE WANT ADS.

MOM'N POP

By Taylor



THE OLD HOME TOWN

BY STANLEY



Freckles and His Friends

Jay's Original, to Say Least

By Blosser



Sports

ARMS BROKEN IN CAGE GAME

Mandan Youth Suffers Injuries in Fall

The first basketball injury in this section, reported as such, occurred in Mandan last night.

In a game between the Eighth grade and freshmen of the Mandan school, last night's game, Schoenauer, 11, suffered both a nose and a forearm broken when he tripped and fell over another player when he tripped and fell over another player on the basketball court.

FONDNESS FOR HIGHBALLS IS BIG HANDICAP

By NEA Service

New York, Dec. 13.—The tour of John McGraw, of his New York Giants, to foreign ports was a greater trip than the world series, showing, however, as far as can be learned there was no scandal connected with the trip. The player did not share in the receipts.

The manager of the Giants says a too great fondness for highballs in foreign countries is a handicap to baseball popularity.

Billy Evans

Says

While Coach Knute Rockne isn't counting any football titles, the experts have conceded that his Notre Dame team is champion of the universe.

Rockne's strategies have gone through a tough season without the bluntness of a defeat. It is doubtful if ever a college team faced a harder schedule than the 1924 itinerary of the Fighting Irish.

A majority of the games were played away from home and the losing teams from every section of the country were met.

While the regular schedule of Notre-Dame has been completed, perhaps the biggest test of the season awaits them. Stanford is to be met Jan. 1 in the feature game of the Tournament of Roses.

It is football history that playing under such climatic conditions an eastern team is at a decided handicap. Coaches of eastern teams that have played coast games say the players are only 75 per cent efficient.

In a season that has been replete with team reversals, it would be occasion no great surprise if Stanford further upset the dope.

Knute Rockne has said that a team must be keyed up to the highest pitch to do its best work on the gridiron. He also says it is practically an impossibility to keep up the emotions after a big game.

It is precedent that a team lets down after reaching top form. Perhaps Rockne's theories explain why Princeton, a team that looked like a world-beater against Harvard, was just ordinary against Yale.

Rockne explains the unusual success of his 1924 team by saying the players regard every game on the schedule as the high spot, all the same, just a day's work.

It was the strategy of the master-mind of football at Notre Dame, coached by Rockne, who Stanford, directed by the resourceful Warner.

These two great coaches have been the brains back of much that is worth while in football. Many of the interesting incidents have been introduced into the game are credited to Rockne and Warner.

Warner, in his first year at Stanford, has met marked success. His team is generally credited with being the Pacific coast champion, although the title is a bit shrouded.

Both California, last year's titleholder, and Stanford have a clean slate. In most sports a champion is a champion until he is beaten. California has been tied but not beaten.

As a matter of fact, the awarding of the title by the United States Football Association to California is based on the fact that California was twice tied, while Stanford only once, by California.

Then there is the question about the eligibility of Cleveland, Stanford's star. It is alleged he has played more than the regulation three years.

The coast championship may not be definitely settled until the meeting of the Coast Conference. However, if Stanford beats Notre Dame the coast will have the right to make a noise like champions.

The Nut Cracker

Speaking of striking fighters, there is Mr. Beckett who is always striking the canvas.

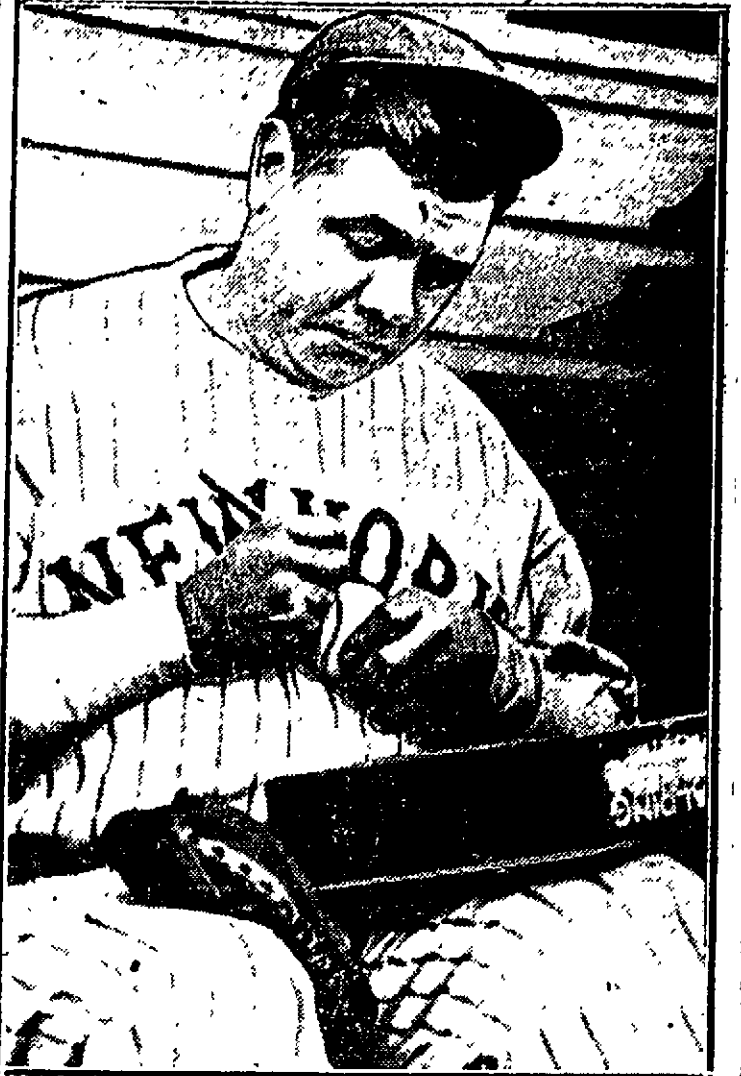
McGraw's next baseball tour will extend to Brazil where his left-handers will be right at home with the other nuts.

Jack Sharkey clouted a New York referee on the chin because he didn't like the decision. This is so much nicer than growing abusive.

The crossword puzzle craze isn't likely to handicap ball players in the spring camps. One must

RUTH IS ALSO CHAMPION WITH PEN

When Not Hitting Home Runs, Babe Throws A Mean Signature



BABE RUTH

"Babe" Ruth's favorite diversion, autographing baseballs. A conservative estimate is that he has given away each year as souvenirs.

BY BILLY EVANS

Hitting home runs, Babe Ruth is first duty to the public. Babe Ruth is a Ruthian home run man, and he is a Ruthian home run man, and he is a Ruthian home run man.

A lazy fly ball that just hangs in the air, it is propelled by Ruth, is far more thrilling to the baseball fan than a terrific drive or a home run of less force.

It's cruel but true that Babe Ruth home runs have a distinctive appeal. No doubt because he is the originator of the home run idea on a large scale.

When not busy swatting the ball further than any other human being ever hit it, Ruth is catering to the public in another direction.

Autographing baseballs, might be classed as a Ruthian idea.

Ruth Great Showman

The Babe is a great showman. He appreciates the value of publicity. He realizes his signature on a baseball makes a friend, is good advertising for the game. As a result, he is never too busy to oblige.

All of which brings us to the end of our story. How many Babe Ruth autographed baseballs are given away every year?

A very conservative estimate would be 10,000. In all probability it is many times that figure.

Every major league player and umpire receives at least 10 requests to know how to spell in order to write the thing.

Dempsey has been asked to fight on the coast. It is probable, true, then, that Babe Ruth is a world-beater against Harvard, was just ordinary against Yale.

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We don't know what's adding to the Babe's popularity. Whether it's the fact that Babe Ruth can't make a watermelon hit!

More than \$2,000,000 was spent for ball players last season. If you want to know where the money is going, it is going to the players.

Suggesting to golf writers: When you refer to Babe Ruth as the greatest of the great, it is not the greatest of the great.

The wasted few when no man but Babe Ruth is the only one who is never found when he is not in the game.

Go to the game, if you want to see a player in this league. It is not the game, it is the player.

Johnny Evers, of the Chicago White Sox, is one manager in danger of losing his job.

"Choppy" Rhodes is the star of this year's Nebraska team. He's a fast runner, hard-to-tackle half-back. He also dabbles in basketball and track.

Branch Rickey says Jim Bottomly is the best first sacker in the majors. Rickey should know; he developed him.

"Stuffy" McInnis continues to play a good first base for the Boston Braves, despite his slowness of foot.

Paul H. Jamison, Virginia golf champion, with a 72 recently won

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mas vacation this year on account of being two weeks behind.

Mrs. Leon Lusher was quite sick for a few days last week but is much improved now.

Miss Louise Peyerhelsen is working at the Ed Boynton home now.

Millie Meher was absent from school Tuesday on account of sickness.

Mrs. S. B. Gooding and baby son Oscar were visitors at the Olaf Fee-theim home Monday.

A number of people are being vaccinated for small pox as there are a few cases reported around Wing and Bismarck.

The L. M. Doerschlag and Vio and Long stores have a very good supply of Christmas goods in.

Dorothy Swenson was absent from school Monday and Tuesday on account of sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shaffer spent Friday shopping and visiting at Steele.

Christ Schoon was happily surprised last Saturday evening when a host of friends gathered at his home to help him celebrate a birthday anniversary. The evening was carried out by games of cards and dancing when at midnight a delicate luncheon was served.

A skating party was held on Clear Lake last Saturday evening by a group of young people. Skating was carried out up until midnight when all present gathered at Clear Lake School No. 1 where delicious refreshments were waiting for a hungry appetite, after lunch more games were played until the early hours when all present declared a very enjoyable time was spent.

Miss Caroline Schoon had as her guest the first of the week, Miss Claris Nelson.

George Carlson spent the week end at the capital city.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Christensen and Miss Myrtle spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Van Vleet.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hogstad announced the birth of a baby boy, Mrs. Hogstad is staying at the Miram Hogstad home in Steele.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Newland had as their company on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Hansen, Misses Caroline Schoon and Claris Nelson.

Miss Hazel Nelson spent several days at the home of her brother Clifford Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Christensen have as their guest Elder Dirksen of Bismarck.

Mrs. George Carlson and children and Arthur Kruger autographed to Regan where they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Carlson.

Little Bobby Beyer who has been a patient at the Bismarck hospital for the past four weeks is able to be up and is expected home this coming Saturday, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. J. W. Beyer, who has been by his side from the time he entered.

Clarence Irvin is the name given by Mr. and Mrs. Ole Newland for their infant son.

Another case of measles is in our vicinity at the Ed Schmidkunz home.

Mrs. Tom Olson called on Mrs. L. B. Olson on Wednesday.

Ernest and Caroline Schoon expect to leave this coming Monday for a visit in South Dakota.

Clarence Syverson, accompanied by his brother Selmer autographed to Bismarck on Tuesday, where the former had his fractured foot treated.

BALDWIN

Mr. and Mrs. Albin Nordstrom pleasantly entertained a number of dinner guests at their home Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eliason and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Hansen and family and Messrs. Ervin Kvale and Ervin Austad, all of Bismarck. Messrs. Kvale and Austad whose homes are at Ryder are students at the Bismarck Business College.

Miss Lili Little, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Little also spent Sunday at the Nordstrom home.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kikel have returned from a weeks visit at Clearbrook, Minnesota where they were guests over Thanksgiving at the Clear Garner home, John Rupp, who left about the same time for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. Garner has not yet returned.

Miss Mabel Mell was a passenger on the bus Saturday for Bismarck where she visited over Sunday with friends.

Miss Estelle Pierce, high school teacher has been on the sick list the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Monroe visited with Baldwin relatives Sunday.

Miss Lucille Delong missed school the past week on account of sickness.

Some remodeling work is being done to the portion of the school building used by the high school.

Lester Schonert was a guest at the home of his former teacher Mrs. Arthur Lenihan Saturday.

Fred Wood plans on leaving soon for a visit to his old home in Pennsylvania.

H. G. Higgins was looking after the McGills farm just south of town.

A number of local folks have been vaccinated lately owing to the prevalence of small pox. It is planned to have the whole school vaccinated as a preventative measure, it is said.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rupp and son Richard and daughter Frances spent Thursday in the capital city doing some fall shopping.

Merl White is fixing up his livery barn preparatory to again resuming the livery business during the winter.

C. L. Bryan, piano tuner of Mandan was in this locality Tuesday looking after business affairs and tuning pianos of those that needed it.

The Lahr farm east of town has a new tenant who moved from near Bismarck the latter part of the week.

Fred Sabot spent part of the past week in Bismarck looking after business matters.

Richard Borne was a caller at the Andrew Anderson and Ed. Morris homes in Cromwell township Thursday afternoon.

H. G. Higgins was looking after business matters pertaining to the bank the fore part of the week.

Mrs. George Swick who has been confined to her home with illness the past week is reported as some improved.

Mrs. Merl White who has been in feeble health for some time remains about the same.

Fred Schroeder who has been serving on the jury at Bismarck spent the week end at his home returning to the capital city early in the week.

The Baldwin school is busy preparing for the Christmas entertainment it plans on giving.

Mrs. William Bement and little daughter Barbara arrived recently from their home at Regan for a visit with relatives in and around Baldwin. Mr. Bement who was formerly assistant cashier in the Baldwin State Bank is now occupying a similar position in the Regan bank.

Hugh McCullough well known business man of Washburn visited here last week enroute home from the capital city.

The eighth grade final examination is going on this week. During the examination the students of the lower grades in Miss Mell's department are having a vacation.

HIS WISH TO DIE ON HOME SOIL GRANTED

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here yesterday, great throngs gathered to have a peek at the sick man. Gompers' body will lie in state at an undertaking parlor today until it is taken to a train tonight for its last journey east. Labor leaders will be named pall-bearers to carry the body to the station. A detail of policemen will serve as a guard of honor. Major John Tobin of San Antonio, in a proclamation, called upon the city to pay a tribute to the late labor leader.

Star Climb Exhausted Him

According to C. E. Idar of San Antonio, organizer for the American Federation of Labor, Mr. Gompers' final acute illness came following a walk up a long flight of stairs to the Mexican national palace to attend the inauguration of President Calles a week ago last Tuesday.

When Gompers reached the last step exhausted he explained: "I do not want to climb these stairs but I do not want to climb the golden stairs just yet."

Mr. Gompers is survived by three sons and his widow. The sons are: Albert Gompers of New York, Henry Gompers of Washington and Samuel Gompers Jr., choice clerk in the Department of Labor, Washington.

Mrs. Gompers resides at the family home in Washington.

BODY LEAVES TONIGHT

San Antonio, Dec. 13.—The body of Mr. Gompers is to leave here over the Missouri, Kansas and Texas at 11 p. m. The train will reach Fort Worth at 7:45 Monday morning. It will then proceed to Washington, by way of St. Louis arriving in the national capital at 2:45 p. m. Tuesday. There will be 16 stops on the way.

Gompers, Dean of American Labor, Had Noted Rise

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special car in the railroad yards labor parleys in London, Paris, and Amsterdam.

Before the United States entered the conflict, he combatted enemy influences active among the nation's workers and, by refusing to send delegates to peace conferences in Sweden and Switzerland, kept American labor free from entangling negotiations with pacifist organizations in countries which later became enemies of the United States. More than a year before America took up arms Mr. Gompers pledged organized labor to support of national preparedness.

Founded Federation

Prior to his founding the national labor organization in 1881, the labor movement was in the hands of comparatively small, individual unions, in the various states, working without much real cooperation. By forming the Federation, he welded the entire movement into a nation-wide, compact unit which grew to be a power in the political, commercial and industrial life of the country.

Among the laws Gompers framed, supported, or originated, were: the eight hour law for government employees; the various state laws fixing hours of labor; laws establishing Labor Day as the workmen's holiday; the Federal Workmen's compensation law; the law limiting the use of injunctions in labor disputes; the law exempting labor unions from prosecution as combinations.

He was the author of numerous small pamphlets in the nature of tracts on labor questions, wrote a book on the world labor movement and edited the "American Federationist," the official organ of the American Federation.

Throughout his career, Mr. Gompers refused to become identified with any political party, taking the position that he could be of more service to the cause of labor by holding himself aloof from identification with any single political organization.

He married Sophia Julian, of New York, and their family consisted of three sons and a daughter.

"DAKOTANS" IN MANY STATES

Backed by a sound business course, graduates of Dakota Business College, Fargo, find it easy to get work wherever they are. Thus: Arnold Koepke, a D. B. C. man, recently went to a fine position with the First National Bank, Milwaukee, S. D., Myrtle Anderson, to the Farmers & Merchants Bank, Blooming Prairie, Minn. Nearly 700 banks employ D. B. C. pupils.

Watch results each week and "Follow the Successful." Begin Jan. 1. Mammie, writes F. L. Winkler, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1924

Choir practice on Sunday at 3 p. m.

Wednesday, Friday and Saturday are Ember Days.

All are cordially welcome to attend the services of the Episcopal church. Those who are not familiar with the church's ways, will enjoy the simple evening services. Familiar hymns, prayers and sermon on the gospel.

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First Presbyterian Church

Rev. H. C. Postlethwaite, D. D., Minister.

Morning service at 10:30. Theme: "The Greatest Opportunity."

Antiphon, "The King of Love My Shepherd Is" (Shelley); anthem, "I Am Alpha and Omega" (Stainer). Junior Sunday school at 9:30. Other departments at 12 m. Men's class in their room.

The Christian Endeavor will meet at 6:30. Subject, "Count and Share Your Blessings."

Evening service at 7:30. Theme: "The Touch of Faith." Special music, anthem, "Hear Me O Lord" (Stults). Antiphon, "I Heard the Voice of Jesus" (Carr). E. Adams. Monday evening at 7:30 Girls Reserve.

Junior Christian Endeavor Wednesday at 4:15. Prayer meeting at 7:30.

The Missionary Society will meet Thursday at 2:30.

All are cordially invited to the services of the church.

Evangelical Ref. Church

South Side Mission and Charity Society.

Regular service every Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m.

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Capture of an up-to-date moonshine outfit a mile from Krem, Mercer county, on the main road, was reported today by state licensing department operatives. Federal officers and the Attorney General's office men cooperated.

Rudolph Richter, alleged to be the operator of the moonshine outfit, is declared by the operatives to have built a shack in his barn yard especially for the making of moonshine. It was close to the road. In it, they said, they found a 40-gallon still in operation, one 20-gallon still, 15 gallons of moonshine and 150 gallons of whisky. They also found many bottles and a crate for them, they said.

The officers arrested Emmanuel Sandin at Beulah, finding eight gallons of moonshine in his house, they said.

John Haw, Chinaman, operating a laundry on Broadway, Bismarck, will be charged with possession of liquor. Officers said they found moonshine and beer in his place, and declare one room was littered with empty bottles.

Broadcasting Station Power Is Increased

WTAM, the broadcasting station of the Willard Storage Battery Company, Cleveland has been granted a license by the Department of Commerce, to increase its power output from 1000 watts to 1500 watts.

The Willard station is the first to be granted such a license. It follows close upon the heels of the recent Radio Conference at which Secretary Hoover advocated the policy of higher power stations.

It is the purpose of the engineers at WTAM to give the listener the best that can be obtained from radio reception. Experiments lead to the belief that higher power, such as WTAM is now licensed to use, will be of material benefit to the receiving set owner. Higher power, it is anticipated, will overcome fading, draw out static to such a point as to make it negligible and insure good reception, all year round, regardless of weather conditions at the point of sending, receiving or points between.

Bar Body To Recommend 3 For Position

The state bar association is conducting a referendum among its members for recommendation of appointment of men from whom the supreme court shall select one to succeed C. J. Fisk of Minot, whose term expires January 1, 1925. The law requires the bar association to recommend three names from which the supreme court shall make the appointment.

One hundred and forty-two ballots have thus far been returned to R. E. Wenzel, Secretary, and 90 have been nominated. The names of the three highest will be presented to the supreme court. Ballots are canvassed by the Secretary and then returned to the original envelopes for check by a special committee of the executive committee later. Balloting ends Dec. 20.

Delinquent Tax In Sioux Co. Cut

Ft. Yates, N. D., Dec. 13.—At the delinquent tax sale Tuesday approximately \$3,350 worth of delinquent taxes were paid by purchasers of tax certificates.

The number of tracts not purchased at the delinquent tax sale, and which are considered sold to the county for the 1923 taxes, is much less than in former years. According to J. R. Harmon, county auditor, 1923 real estate taxes are, with comparatively few exceptions, all paid.

The amount of unpaid personal property taxes for last year is also much less than in former years. Dur-

Vice-Consul Shot



Harry A. Dayton, U. S. vice consul at Belgrade who was shot and seriously wounded by Anna Usup, 21, beautiful Lithuanian girl who committed suicide by slaying her wrists.

In the last month, 150 or more delinquent personal property taxes have been collected by Sheriff James Caddell.

Car Owner Should Watch Tire Equipment

"Car owners who expect to drive this winter should be sure their tire equipment is in good condition so they will not be held up with road trouble nor forced to walk several miles to telephone for a service car," says the Lahr Motor Sales Co., Good-year dealer.

"More and more car owners are coming to regard their machines as a winter necessity, enabling them to get about more readily than if they had to depend on some other means of transportation. And so, trouble-free use of their cars is important."

"For instance, after a summer of driving the tires ought to be dismounted from the wheels and the tubes removed, then the sand and dust that have accumulated through a summer's driving can be blown out with an air line and the life of the tubes prolonged. Sand inside the tube acts like sandpaper on the tube, soon wearing it thin and resulting in a blowout when you're least expecting it."

"And there are other things to look to as well. For instance, after a summer of driving, wheels are apt to be out of alignment and our service can stop the loss of tire mileage that this causes. Then there might be loose valve stems or many other little things that, taken in time, will save considerable money and time in the future."

"We also are in a position to explain fully the use of balloon tires in both small diameter and interchangeable kinds and we will be very glad to take the time to go over the subject of balloons with any car owner who doesn't know much about them."

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Holiday Liquor Is Confiscated

New York, Dec. 13.—Holiday liquor valued at between \$25,000 and \$50,000 and said to have been made of distilled and matured alcohol was seized in a Mulberry street tenement by prohibition agents. Thirty-six families occupying the building police said, were in danger of death in case of fire because of the presence of the highly inflammable alcohol which filled three bathtubs and four casks.

Labels declaring the contents to be rich old Scotch, bottled in bond, 1746, were found. Three men were arrested, charged with illicit manufacture of intoxicants.

LAWMAKERS GET POOR PAY

Berlin, Dec. 13.—Being a member of the German reichstag, or parliament, is not a very lucrative position. The delegates are paid \$140 a month, which is one-quarter the salary of cabinet ministers.

But the German parliamentarian enjoys free railroad travel throughout the republic in a first-class compartment.

WASHINGTON AGOG OVER VISIT OF GRAND DUCHESS

BY HARRY R. HUNT
NEA Service Writer

Washington, Dec. 13. Socially, this capital of the "world's greatest democracy" doesn't recognize the fact of the Russian revolution any more than Secretary of State Hughes, officially, recognizes the soviet. Which is no recognition at all.

Wherefore, the visit to the capital of Grand Duchess Cyril of Russia is being arranged on a regal scale and the social elite are all agog over the chances of entertaining or even meeting "Her Imperial Highness."

No one thinks or speaks of her as an ex-imperial highness, or an ex-grand duchess. All announcements and invitations having to do with her entertainment while here give her the prestige of all her old-time titles as though they were still intact.

In fact, the impressiveness of these are even magnified by the whispered explanation that her husband, Grand Duke Cyril, has recently proclaimed himself emperor of all the Russians and that the distinguished guest is, in reality, none other than the empress of Russia!

The irony of the situation, which Washington's social circles do not seem to recognize, is that the "grand duchess" comes to Washington by invitation of Mrs. Robert Lansing.

It was Mrs. Lansing's husband who, as secretary of state, sent the Root commission to Russia immediately after the Kerensky uprising in 1917, in an effort to make the overthrow of the Romanoffs stick. Now, as head of local "Russian Relief" activities, she sponsors the visit of an "empress" whose loss of an empire was officially assisted by her husband.

The present administration, however, will take great care to see that, officially, no cognizance is taken of the "royal" visitor's presence. While we have never recognized the soviet government, we did endorse the Kerensky republic and the overthrow of the empire and any diplomatic courtesies to the ex-grand duchess might require a lot of explaining.

But socially? Well—that's different. Either a past or prospective empress becomes the lioness of the hour. And the presidential suite at the New Willard Hotel is scoured and dusted to make ready for her coming.

Intimation that President Coolidge does not expect Charles G. Dawes, as vice president, to sit with the cabinet, as Coolidge sat with the cabinet under President Harding, has revived rumors that there is little prospect of Coolidge and his running mate becoming chummy during their administration.

Of course, it may be simply that

Coolidge's preference for the old ways is the deciding factor. The practice was an innovation begun by President Harding.

But Washington gossip has it that, beneath the surface, the real reason lies in a continuing feud between Chairman-Senator Butler and Dawes which has kept their relations strained and which is something of a handicap on any likelihood of close companionship between Dawes and Coolidge.

Dawes never was the preference of the Coolidge management as the presidential running mate. He was put across at Cleveland over the protest of Butler. On occasions during the campaign the Coolidge manner and the vice presidential candidate collided, with more or less fireworks. As between Butler and Dawes, the Massachusetts senator is believed much the more likely to have the inside track of the executive c. k.

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MURDER BY AUTO
Montreal, Dec. 13.—Using his automobile as a murder weapon, Frank Barmes is alleged to have deliberately driven the car onto the sidewalk, maiming his wife and killing a man with whom she was walking. Barmes is a cripple and wears an iron on his leg.

GERMANS TURN TO SONG

Berlin, Dec. 13.—Steps to double the time devoted to singing lessons in German schools have been taken by the ministry of culture on the theory that music, as a part of a

general education, has been neglected of late. It is proposed to devote at least four hours weekly to singing lessons in both the elementary and high schools, instead of one or two hours as at present.

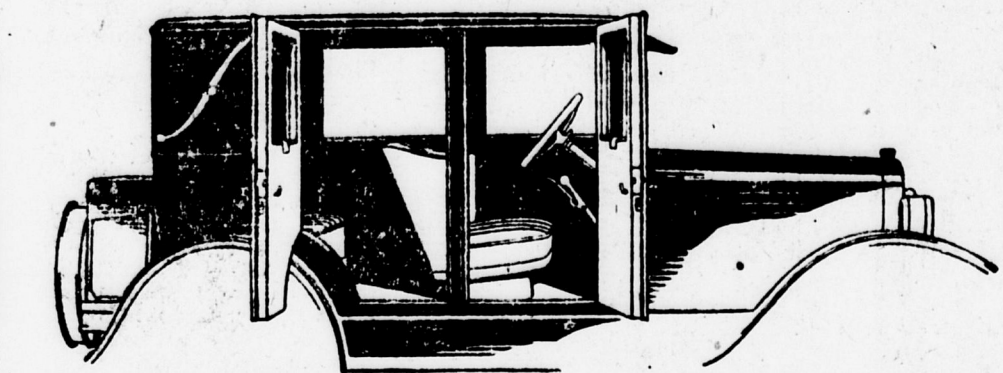
Eight Bodies Washed Ashore

Tokio, Dec. 13.—(By the A. P.)—Eight bodies have been washed ashore and about 40 persons are in peril aboard the special service ship, Kwanto, wrecked in a blizzard off

Tsuruga, western Japan. A destroyer rescued five officers and 50 men, and 40 others reached shore. The Kwanto carried a crew of 150 men.

PREMIER OF SWEDEN ILL

Copenhagen, Dec. 13.—Hjalmar Branting, premier of Sweden, is seriously ill, according to advices reaching here today. It was said that he had developed inflammation of the lungs and that grave fears for his recovery were entertained.



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